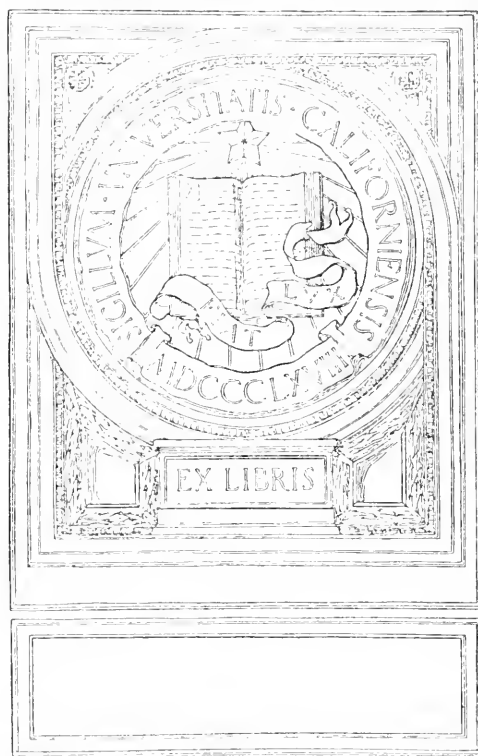


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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
46th CONGRESS.

A. G. CURTIN

vs.

SETH H. YOCUM.

CONTESTED ELECTION FROM THE TWENTIETH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CONTESTANT'S BRIEF.

In presenting the brief of contestant in this case, we deem it proper to state briefly the principles of law which we conceive must govern in determining the case. These principles are mostly so elementary and well settled that it will not be necessary to elaborate them, nor to cite many authorities in support thereof. That the right to vote, by any person, at the Congressional election held in the 20th District of Pennsylvania, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1878, must depend upon the provisions of the constitution and laws of Pennsylvania alone, is made manifest by the first clause of section 2, article 1, of the constitution of the United States:

"The House of Representatives shall be composed of members chosen every second year by the people of the several States; and the electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for the most numerous branch of the State legislature."

By this provision of the federal constitution each State possesses the exclusive right of defining the qualifications of voters, not only for State officers, but also for members of Congress, as they are always the same as those for members of the most numerous branch of the legislature of that State. In Pennsylvania the qualifications of voters are fixed by the constitution, and are not left to be regulated by the ordinary law making power of the State. This is as it should be. To define who shall possess the right of suffrage, to what portion of the inhabitants of a State, the sovereignty shall be intrusted, is, in its very nature *fundamental*; and should be placed beyond the reach of any department of the government established by the sovereign power of that State. If this were not so, the legislature, which is a mere creature of the sovereignty, might by statute change the repository of this sovereignty, and thus destroy its own creator. Untold evils might result from this. Whenever all the branches of the law making power were under the control of the same party, actuated by party prejudices, malevolence, or desire to perpetuate their own control, they might enact laws which would practically disfranchise all those who differed from them politically, and thus transfer the sovereign power of the State from the whole people to a special

class, the members of which were at the time, in accord in political sentiment and opinion with the law making power. This would soon terminate free government. From a government of the people and by the people, it would soon degenerate into the worst species of oligarchy.

That, when the qualifications of voters are fixed by the constitution of the State, these qualifications cannot be changed by statute; that the legislature cannot dispense with any qualifications, which the constitution requires; nor can it add new qualifications to those required by the constitution; are corollaries to the proposition, *that the constitution is the supreme law of the State*. If authorities are needed to sustain a proposition so elementary and fundamental, they are numerous: Page vs. Allen, 58 Penn'a State Reports, 338; McCafferty vs. Guyer, 59 Penn'a State Reports, 109; Thompson vs. Ewing, 1st Brewster, 103; State vs. Adams, 2 Stewart (Alabama), 239; McCrary's Law of Elections, chapter 1, section 5.

The qualifications of voters in Pennsylvania are the same for *all* public officers, and are distinctly defined in section 1, article 8, of the constitution of 1873, as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications *shall be* entitled to vote at *all* elections.

"I. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

"II. He shall have resided in the State one year, (or if having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

"III. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

"IV. If twenty-two years of age or upwards he shall have paid within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election."

These are the qualifications of a voter in Pennsylvania, and which cannot be abridged, added to, or altered by legislation. Whoever possesses them all has the constitutional right to vote; whoever lacks any one of these cannot legally vote. Subsequent provisions of the same article of the constitution qualify in some degree this right of voting. Sect. 4, Art. 8, provides: "All elections by the citizens shall be by ballot. Every ballot voted shall be numbered in the order in which it shall be received, and the number recorded by the election officers on the list of voters opposite the name of the elector who presents the ballot."

Section VI authorizes persons in the military of the State, or of the United States, to vote under such regulations as now exist, or may be prescribed by law, although absent from the district wherein they are entitled to vote.

Section VII provides: "All laws regulating the holding of elections by the citizens, or for the registration of electors, shall be uniform throughout the State; but no elector shall be deprived of the privilege of voting by reason of his name not being registered."

Section VIII of the same article, provides:

"Any person who shall give, or promise, or offer to give, to an elector, any money, reward or other valuable consideration, for his vote at an election, or for withholding the same, or who shall give or promise to give such consideration to any other person or party, for such elector's vote, or for the withholding thereof, and any elector who shall receive or agree to receive, for himself or for another, any money, reward or other valuable consideration, for his vote at an election, or for withholding the same, *shall thereby forfeit the right to vote at such election*; and any elector whose right to vote shall be challenged for such

"cause, before the election officers, shall be required to swear or affirm that the matter of the challenge is untrue, before his vote shall be received."

Section XI defines what shall constitute an election district and provides how they may be altered and subdivided.

Subject to the provision that voting shall be by ballot, which ballots shall be numbered, and the provision which in substance requires that the voter shall be free from the offense of bribery, the qualifications of voters in Pennsylvania are five in number, to wit:

- 1st. *Age.*
- 2d. *Citizenship* of the United States for at least one month.
- 3d. *State residence* for at least one year immediately prior to the election, unless previously a qualified elector, then six months.
- 4th. *District residence* for at least two months immediately prior to the election.
- 5th. *Payment of taxes* within two years, which shall have been assessed two months and paid one month prior to the election.

In this case no dispute will arise as to the first three of these qualifications. Wherever it is shown the person voting was under the age of twenty-one years, or was of foreign birth and not naturalized, or had not resided within the State of Pennsylvania for the constitutional period, it will be conceded that the vote was illegal and should be deducted from the votes returned for the candidate. It is therefore unnecessary to occupy any time or space in discussing these three qualifications.

As to the fourth qualification a difference of opinion may probably exist. We will state briefly the position we hold to be the correct one upon this subject. What is meant by the constitutional expression, "Shall have resided in the election district?" Does it mean that the voter must have been personally present within the limits of the district during all of the time for the entire two months? Would his temporary absence from the district any portion of the two months deprive him of his right to vote? Clearly not, for but few persons would be entitled to vote under this clause of the constitution of Pennsylvania; for few persons ever remain inside of an election district for two months continuously without crossing its boundaries. Certainly the word "reside" can have no such meaning. As we contend when the constitution says, the voter must *reside* in the election district for two months, it means that he must have his ordinary residence, his home, his domicile there. When his residence, home, or domicile is there, whether he is at his residence all the time or not, can make no difference. In the judicial determination by the courts, as well as in the reports of the committee on elections of the House of Representatives, the word residence is held to be equivalent to domicile, in its broadest sense. In most cases no question can arise as to where a man's residence or domicile is? If he owns property and has a family, where they are situated is universally recognized as his home, or residence, or domicile. Although he may himself be absent in different places most of his time, yet every one recognizes his right to return to his residence and there vote, although he may not have been personally present within the district during any considerable portion of the two months immediately preceding the election.

"That place is properly the domicile of a person in which his habitation is fixed without any present intention of removing therefrom."—*Story's Conflict of Laws*, Sec. 43.

Judge Story too, claims that personal presence in a place with intent to remain there only for a temporary purpose, and to depart when that is accomplished will not constitute residence. Most of men while engaged in business have some other permanent place or seat of their interests and affec-

tions, and which they style home, and which in the eyes of reason and common sense, if not in the abstract definition of law, is the place of their domicile. Nor is it always necessary that the man's family should remain at the place of his domicile in order to retain his residence there within the meaning of the constitution and laws. Many people leave their homes with their families and travel, or board, or reside temporarily at other places for health, for pleasure, convenience or other purposes, without losing their residence or domicile at their ordinary or permanent place of abode. In cities it is a common thing for men to take their families to the sea shore, springs, or mountains, or the country boarding house, and remain away for weeks, and sometimes months, without ever dreaming that thereby they lose their residence in the city. Should such a one return home on the morning of the election he would undoubtedly have the right to vote; even though neither he nor his family had been within the election district during any portion of the two months immediately preceding the day of election. The absence of the voter or his family in order to deprive him of the right to vote on the ground that he lacked residence within the district must always be accompanied with the intention to abandon his former residence or domicile within the district, and acquire a new domicile or residence somewhere else.—Chase vs. Miller, 41 Pa. State Rep., 404; Miller vs. Thompson, 2 Cong. Elec. cases, 118; McDaniel's case, Brightley's Elec. cases, 238; People vs. Holden, 28 California Rep., 128; 13 Alabama Rep., 806; 11 Mass. Reps., 330; Fry's case, 71 Penn'a State Reps., 302; The Reporter, vol. 8, pages 163-187.

When a person moves his family from one district to another, with the intention of residing permanently, or for an indefinite period at the new place and abandons his former home, he ceases to be a *resident*, within the meaning of the constitution, of the former place, and cannot return there to vote, although he has not been a resident of his new home sufficiently long to entitle him to vote there. While, in contemplation of law, every person has a residence or domicile somewhere, and cannot at the same time have two different places of residence or domicile, still a person otherwise legally qualified, may lose his right to vote by changing his residence or domicile within two months immediately preceding the election. If the voter actually does change his home, domicile or residence, within two months preceding the election, he cannot return to his former domicile to vote; neither can he vote in the district of his new domicile for he has not resided there for two months immediately preceding the election. If a man having a permanent home in one district, goes into another district to work temporarily and remains there during the whole or a portion of the two months preceding the election, he may return to the district in which his permanent home is and there vote because he has not lost or abandoned his residence there; the intention of returning having remained. The taking his family with him to the place where he is engaged temporarily, for the convenience of boarding or any other similar purposes, with the intention of returning to his permanent home after his temporary employment is done, would not cause him to lose his domicile or residence at the former place and thereby deprive him of the right of voting. The intention of not making the place of his temporary occupation his domicile, and the intention of returning to his former domicile as soon as his temporary occupation is done, retains his residence or domicile, and thereby retains for him the right of voting there.

The proper application of these various propositions, we contend, will correctly determine every disputed case turning upon the question of residence. That this is a correct statement of the law on this subject, as laid down by elementary writers, Judicial decisions and Congressional determinations, we need only to refer to the elaborate review of the subject contained in the

report of the contested election case of Cessna vs. Meyers, reported in "Smith's Congressional Election Cases," page 60.

Before leaving this subject of residence, it may be proper to refer to the case of the twenty persons who voted for the contestee in the borough of Mill Hall, in Clinton county, when they were residents, and possibly legal voters in the township of Bald Eagle. As to these twenty voters no question arises as to the abandoning or changing of residence. They resided on the 5th day of November, 1878, at the same place where they had resided a long time prior, and where they had resided for many years when voting properly and legally in Bald Eagle township. The town council of the borough of Mill Hall attempted, by an ordinance, to extend the limits of said borough so as to include the territory in which these voters lived and thereby to bring them as residents into the borough of Mill Hall. This ordinance of the town council was a mere nullity, without any shadow of legal authority, and had no possible effect in changing the limits of the borough, or township, and of course left every resident with the right to vote in the district that he had voted in, before the passage of the ordinance. These twenty persons, assuming that the extension of the borough was valid and legal, improperly and illegally voted on the 5th of November, 1878, in the borough of Mill Hall, instead of voting where they might legally have voted in Bald Eagle township. While do we not allege that this voting was fraudulent, or done with any improper or criminal purpose, we do assert that it was illegal and in violation of the provisions of the constitution, which requires the voter to have resided in the district where he shall offer to vote, two months immediately preceding the election. But these persons not being legal voters in the borough of Mill Hall and having been proven to have voted for Seth H. Yocum, the contestee, their votes, twenty in number, must be deducted from the votes returned for him. It will no doubt be urged on the part of the contestee that this would be a hard ruling, as these persons have not been shown to have lacked any other legal qualification, but having voted in the wrong district through inadvertence or mistake, they should not be disfranchised for that reason merely. The same argument and plea could be made for every person who possessed the other constitutional qualifications of a voter, but voted in a district where he had no residence. The sovereign people of Pennsylvania saw fit in their fundamental law to require district residence as one of the qualifications of a voter. No person has a right to vote in any district where he does not reside. No tribunal trying contested election cases under the constitution and laws of Pennsylvania can dispense with district residence as a qualification of a voter any more than it can age, citizenship, or the payment of taxes. If a vote otherwise legal, but polled in the wrong district, could be counted as a legal vote, out of mere favor to the voter, when it was supposed or believed that he acted in good faith, the door would be opened wide for the admission of illegal, fraudulent and corrupt votes by non-residents of the district. If a vote is clearly illegal the honesty or *bona fides* of the voter can have no effect, and cannot possibly legalize it. These twenty votes having been cast by non-residents of the borough of Mill Hall are clearly illegal and must be excluded from the count.

As to the fifth and last qualification of a voter, to wit: "A payment within two years of a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election," much difference of opinion exists. This difference of opinion arises not so much from any obscurity in the language of the constitution, as from other considerations. In fact no language could be plainer than that employed by the framers of the constitution of Pennsylvania in 1873. Because payment of taxes is not made a qualification of a voter in many States, citizens of such

States look upon this provision of the Pennsylvania constitution as being wrong in principle, and restrictive of the right of suffrage, which, in their opinion, should be universal. This class of persons naturally contend for a construction of this clause which practically fritters it away. With the sentiment, opinions and prejudices of all such we have no quarrel. Whether the payment of tax should be required as a qualification for voting is a question not open for discussion. The people of each State have the right to make such regulations upon this subject as they see proper, and the people of no other State have the right to quarrel with them for so doing. The people of Pennsylvania have settled this question for themselves, and it is the duty of all, who under any circumstances are required to administer her laws to recognize the mandate of the constitution in this respect, and to execute it faithfully. The provision as it now stands in the constitution of Pennsylvania is not a new one, but in a different form is found in the three preceding constitutions of our State—those of 1776, 1790 and 1838. The plain and manifest meaning of this provision must not be construed away, or anywise weakened because some may doubt the propriety or wisdom of its being in the constitution. The words of the constitution are so plain as to hardly admit of two constructions: "If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he shall have paid within two years a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election." This duty of paying a tax at least once in two years is made a prerequisite to the right of voting and attaches to the *person* of the voter. It is a personal qualification which the voter himself must possess or he cannot legally vote. It matters not who else may have paid taxes, nor how much tax may have been paid, if the particular voter has paid no state or county tax within two years himself, he cannot legally vote in Pennsylvania for any office. His mere liability to pay the tax, or the ability of the collector to enforce the payment from him is not what the constitution requires—but actual payment by the voter. This provision is in no sense a *revenue* measure. The liability of the collector to account to the county treasurer for the taxes will not qualify a voter whose name is upon the duplicate, if the voter has not paid his taxes. The collector might settle and actually pay into the county treasury the whole amount of his duplicate, and yet no one voter whose name was upon it be qualified to vote without himself paying the taxes assessed against him. The personal payment of tax is as necessary as personal citizenship, or personal residence. A boy of eighteen could just as well claim the right to vote because his brother is over twenty-one as one citizen can claim the right to vote because another has paid taxes into the public treasury; one can as easily be naturalized, or gain a residence by proxy as he can comply with the constitutional requirement of paying taxes by proxy. Of course we do not mean to contend that the payment must necessarily be made by the hand of the voter himself. He may legally employ an agent to pay his taxes for him, just as he may employ an agent to do any other legal act for him. We recognise in its fullest sense the application of the maxim, "*qui facit per alium facit per se*," to this subject. If a citizen authorizes another to pay his tax for him, and it is so paid, this is a valid and legal payment of tax by the citizen. If one pays to the collector the tax of another without the previous knowledge or consent of the tax payer, but he afterwards approves and ratifies it, it becomes his act, and is as valid and binding as though the tax were paid by his own hand. But nothing short of an actual payment satisfies the requirements of the constitution. But the voter himself must make payment, either in person or by another, at least one month before the election. If the taxes are paid without the knowledge or consent of the tax payer, such payment is not his act, nor binding upon

him until he is notified of it and ratifies it; it becomes his act only from the time of ratification, and if that ratification occurs less than one month before the election he is not qualified to vote by reason of such payment of tax. If a person is not qualified to vote because he has paid no taxes for more than two years, he cannot qualify himself by any payment or ratification of a payment made by an other, within a month immediately preceding the election. His act of payment must be complete one full month before he has a legal right to vote. In support of this proposition we need only apply and refer to the very clear and lucid opinion of Judge Trunkey, now a Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in the case of Marks et al. vs. Park, *Phila. Legal Gazette*, vol. 7, page 246.

So far we have discussed the actual payment of taxes, without referring to the *evidence* of such payment. While the constitution provides that an actual payment of tax by the voter shall be a requisite qualification which the legislature cannot dispense with, the legislature may of course provide by statute what *evidence* of such payment shall be necessary. The legislature of Pennsylvania, by Sect. 3, of the Act of February 13, 1874, has provided: "And when the person offering to vote claims the right on the payment of tax, the receipt for such tax, if signed by the proper officer, shall be the evidence thereof; if such person does not produce such receipt, then the payment of the tax may be proved by the oath of such person, or other evidence, stating when, where and to whom such tax was paid." This act we recognize as a valid and proper exercise of the power possessed by the legislature. It, however, does not and cannot mean that a person possessing a tax receipt is a legal voter, if in fact he has not paid the tax required by the constitution. The tax receipt is simply the evidence of such payment, which the board or election officers must be satisfied with. If it should subsequently appear that the voter had actually paid no tax, the fact that he had such a receipt would not make his vote a legal one. The receipt, though actually signed by the proper tax collector, may have been stolen, fraudulently issued, or ante dated. In either of these cases, if the facts were clearly proven, no one could honestly pretend that the voter was legally qualified to vote, without the payment of tax, because he held such a receipt. The possession of a tax receipt signed by the proper officer, and bearing the proper date, is evidence of the payment of tax at the time, but may be contradicted by other evidence. It is no more conclusive than a receipt for the payment of a private debt. It is sufficient if uncontradicted or unimpeached, but like all other evidence it is liable to contradiction and impeachment. It is conclusive upon the election officers, when the evidence is presented, because it is impracticable for them to enter upon any extended inquiry as to its truth or falsity. In the absence of a tax receipt the payment of tax may be proven by the oath of the voter himself, or by other evidence showing when, where and to whom such tax was paid, yet it would not be pretended if the voter perjured himself in making this proof, that this evidence would make his vote legal, or that in the trial of a contested election case it might not be proven that he had not paid any tax, although he had on the day of the election sworn to such payment. We concede that the production of a tax receipt, signed by the proper officer, in the absence of other evidence, is *proof* of the payment of tax. But to say that this proof may not be rebutted, when it is not true, in fact, is to make the *possession of a tax receipt* the qualification of voting, instead of making the *payment of tax* the qualification, which the constitution does. If a tax receipt is clearly proven to be false, that it was issued without the payment of any taxes by the party, or that the taxes were paid within a month of the election, and the receipt ante dated, so as to show the payment more than a month before the election, the

receipt can have no legal effect, other than to excuse the election officer in taking the vote, but, cannot possibly make the vote legal. The practice of fraudulently issuing tax receipts on the eve of an election, in order to get the votes of persons who are disqualified, because of the non-payment of taxes, is a growing evil in Pennsylvania; and it is the duty of all tribunals trying contested election cases to give no encouragement to it, but on the other hand, to frown upon it, and to enforce the constitutional requirement rigidly. Another practice of paying the taxes of a large number of voters by political committees, without the knowledge, consent, or direction of the voters, taking receipts for such taxes, and holding them until the day of the election and then giving them to the voter on condition that they vote the proper ticket, is a most pernicious practice, corrupting in its tendencies, and to a very great extent interfering with the freedom of elections. To hold as Judge Trunkey held, that the taxes must be paid by the voter himself, or by some one previously authorized by him to make the payment, or if paid by another without the previous authority of the voter himself, ratified one month before the election, removes all possibility for improper or corrupt influences over the voter through the instrumentalities of political committees.

In those States in which the qualifications of voters are incorporated in the constitution, and thus placed beyond legislative interference and caprice, codes of election laws are still necessary. While the legislature cannot deprive any one of the right to vote, when that right is given to him by the constitution, nor can it grant to any one the right to vote who lacks the constitutional qualifications, still it has the power, and necessarily must exercise it, of regulating the times, places and modes in which elections shall be held. The abstract right of voting would be useless to a citizen unless the time, place and manner in which he might exercise that right were regulated by law. Although the constitution determines what qualifications a person must possess in order to be entitled to vote at an election, some tribunal must determine whether each individual claiming this right possesses all the constitutional qualifications or not. The law must designate who shall make this decision and may designate upon what evidence they shall decide. Of course it is important that every constitutionally qualified citizen shall be protected by law in his right to vote, but it is equally important that this right to vote shall not be rendered useless and unavailing by other persons voting who have not the constitutional qualifications. All this must be regulated by statute, and in its nature cannot be provided for in the constitution itself. In the exercise of this conceded power of the legislature, many States have enacted registry laws. Where these laws merely attempt to *regulate* the exercise of the elective franchise in order to secure honest and fair elections, they have uniformly been held to be constitutional.—Capen vs. Foster, 12 Pickering, 485; Patterson vs. Barlow, 60 Penn'a State Reports, 54; People vs. Kopplekam, 16 Michigan, 342.

Wherever they have attempted to impose upon the voter additional qualifications to those required by the constitution, they have just as uniformly been pronounced unconstitutional. To absolutely require that the name of a voter shall be upon the registry list, in order to entitle him to vote, would be to add a qualification not made necessary by the constitution, and would therefore be null and void. To provide that the absence of the name of a person from the registry list is *prima facie* evidence that the person lacks the constitutional qualifications, and that he must affirmatively show his right to vote before his ballot can be properly received by the election officers, is a legitimate exercise of the powers of the legislature. If the unregistered voter refuses or omits to produce before the election board the evidence of

his qualifications required by law, he has no right to complain if the election board should reject his ballot, even though it should subsequently appear that he actually possessed all the constitutional qualifications.

The proper and legitimate purpose of the registry of voters is to ascertain in advance who are legally qualified to vote in the district. This list being prepared by sworn officers, elected or appointed for that purpose, it is prepared in advance and is presumed to be correct, and should be received at least as *prima facie* evidence of the right of parties to vote. No one, however, will pretend that it is conclusive. To hold that the registry list is conclusive of the right to vote of every person whose name appears thereon, would be to make the act of the registration officer of the district the test of the right of all citizens to vote, instead of the actual possession of the constitutional qualifications. The right of a person to vote may be challenged, even though his name appears upon the registry list; and should it be made plainly to appear to the election board that the person thus challenged, lacked any of the constitutional qualifications, his vote should be rejected, notwithstanding his name is upon the registry of voters. So also the officer may have omitted from the registry list the names of persons possessing all the constitutional qualifications and therefore entitled to vote; the omission of their names cannot deprive them of the right to vote, if they produce to the election officers the legal evidence of their qualifications. If, however, the election officers receive the ballot without demanding or receiving the legal evidence of the qualifications of the unregistered voter, the vote is *prima facie* illegal, and the burden is thrown upon the candidate benefitted by it to show affirmatively that the vote was legal when voted.

An act of the legislature of Pennsylvania, approved April 17, 1869, provides for the registration of voters, and also provides what evidence the unregistered voter shall produce to the election board in order to entitle himself to vote. This act still remains in force in Pennsylvania, except so far as it is amended by the act of January 30, 1874, to make it conform to the provisions of the constitution of 1873. The 10th section of the latter act is as follows:

"On the day of the elections any person whose name shall not appear upon the registry of voters, and who claims the right to vote at said election, shall produce at least one qualified voter of the district as a witness to the residence of the claimant in the district in which he claims to be a voter, for the period of at least two months immediately preceding said election, which witness shall be sworn or affirmed, and subscribe a written, or partly written and partly printed, affidavit to the facts stated by him, which affidavit shall define clearly where the residence is of the person claiming to be a voter; and the person so claiming the right to vote shall also take and subscribe a written, or partly written and partly printed affidavit stating to the best of his knowledge and belief, where and when he was born; that he has been a citizen of the United States for one month, and of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania; that he has resided in the commonwealth one year, or, if formerly a qualified elector or a native born citizen thereof, and has removed therefrom and returned, that he has resided therein six months next preceding said election; that he has resided in the district in which he claims to be a voter, for the period of at least two months immediately preceding said election; that he has not moved into the district for the purpose of voting therein; that he has, if twenty-two years of age or upward, paid a State or county tax within two years, which was assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month, before the election; the said affidavit shall also state when and where the tax claimed to be paid

"by the affidavit was assessed and when and where and to whom paid, and
 "the tax receipt thereof shall be produced for examination, unless the
 "affiant shall state in his affidavit that it has been lost or destroyed, or
 "that he never received any; and if a naturalized citizen, shall also state
 "when, where, and by what court he was naturalized, and also produce his
 "certificate of naturalization for examination."

The 12th section of the act provides for the punishment of the election officers if they receive a vote from a person whose name is not upon the registry list without requiring this evidence as follows:

"If any election officer shall refuse or neglect to require such proof of
 "the right of suffrage as is prescribed by this law, or the laws to which
 "this is a supplement, from any person offering to vote whose name is not
 "upon the list of assessed voters, or whose right to vote is challenged by
 "any qualified voter present, and shall admit any such person to vote, with-
 "out requiring such proof, every person so offending shall upon conviction
 "be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be sentenced, for every such offense,
 "to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or to undergo an imprison-
 "ment not more than one year or both at the discretion of the court."

The affidavit thus taken showing the qualifications of the unregistered voters are required to be returned, by the act of 1869, and filed in the office of the Prothonotary, and there remain for inspection with the other election papers.

Under this state of the law, what is the status of a vote cast by a person whose name is not registered, and who failed to make the preliminary proof required by the statute? Is it only *prima facie* illegal, and capable of being legalized, upon proof that the person giving it possessed all the constitutional qualifications; or is it *absolutely* illegal, and incapable of being legalized by evidence subsequent to the election? There is a conflict of opinion upon this point in Pennsylvania. In the case of Mann vs. Cassiday, 1 Brewster, 11, and in the case of Weaver vs. Given, 1 Brewster, 141, it was held that votes received from electors whose names did not appear on the assessment list, without the preliminary proof required by law, were only *prima facie* illegal and to be rejected, unless adequate proof were made on the trial of the legality of each vote. But in the case of Myers vs. Moffat, 1 Brewster, 230, and Shepard vs. Gibbons, 2 Brewster, 129, it was held that such votes being illegal when received, cannot be made legal by the production of evidence of qualification on the trial, which ought to have been produced to the election officers. Mr. Brightly, in his "Leading Cases on Elections," 492-3, pronounces the latter to be the best opinion of the two. We cannot coincide with Mr. Brightly in this conclusion. The effect of it is to make a statute overrule the constitution, to make the time when the evidence of qualification is produced, to be of more importance, than the actual existence of the qualifications themselves. If at the time the vote was given the voter possessed all the constitutional qualifications, the vote is legal and ought not to be thrown out, notwithstanding the election officers may have been guilty of a misdemeanor in receiving it without requiring the proof of the qualifications of the voter required by the registry law. It is sufficient, however, upon this point that all four of the cases cited were adjudged before the adoption of the present constitution of Pennsylvania, which declares expressly, "but no elector shall be deprived of the privilege of voting by reason of his name not being registered." We presume that since this became a part of the supreme law of the land, no lawyer or judge will maintain the opinion expressed in Myers vs. Moffat and Shepard vs. Gibbons. McCrary, in his American Law of Elections, Sec. 62, in commenting upon this statute in Pennsylvania and referring to the very case of Myers vs. Moffat, comes to the same conclusion we hold and says:

"Where it is thus shown that persons have voted without proving their qualifications as required by positive statute, it is incumbent upon the party claiming the benefit of the votes of such persons, to show affirmatively that they were qualified voters."

When a number of unregistered persons voted without making the preliminary proof required by the statute, and in the trial of a contested election, no evidence is given to show for whom they voted, what is to be done with such votes? Where the number of such votes is large enough to destroy the reliability of the return, and there being no proof upon which the poll could be purged, all authorities seem to agree that the return from such poll must be rejected. *Myers vs. Moffat supra*. *Covode vs. Foster*, 2 Bartlett, page 600. *McCrary Am. Law Elections*, sect. 62. Where the number of such illegal votes is not sufficient to change the result from the election district, and thus not sufficient to justify the throwing out of the poll, what shall be done with them? Two different rules have been adopted by the courts of Pennsylvania. One rule deducts all of the illegal votes from the candidate having the majority in the district; the other charges the illegal votes to the candidates in proportion to the votes returned for them from the district. The first of these rules is recognized in the case of the *Commonwealth vs. McCloskey*, 2 Rawle, 369, and in *Duffy's case*, 4 Brewster, 531. The latter rule is recognized and applied in *Sheppard vs. Gibbons*, 2 Brewster, 128. *McDaniels' case*, 3 Penn'a Law Journal, 310; *Cushing's Election Cases*, 583; *Brightly's Leading Cases on Election*, 492. *McCrary's Am. Law Elections*, sections 298, 299 and 300. Many reasons might be given in support of the one rule over the other. The application of either rule may work injustice. When the illegal votes are wilfully and fraudulently polled, the presumption would be that they were polled for the candidate who received a majority or who agreed in party affiliations with the election board. It would hardly be supposed that they would knowingly receive illegal votes for the candidate they desired to see defeated. In such cases to charge the proportion of illegal votes to the minority candidate would be manifestly unjust. On the other hand, if the votes are simply illegally polled without the preliminary proof of their qualifications and without evidence to show that they were fraudulent or corrupt, it would be a very violent presumption to say that they were all given for one candidate. Probably in such a case to deduct them from the total vote of the district and divide the residue between the two candidates in proportion to the votes returned for them, would be a close approximation to the truth.

We submit to the committee which rule should be applied to the unregistered voters in the different wards, boroughs and townships in the 20th Congressional District of Pennsylvania, where no affidavits showing the qualifications of the voters are returned, and no proof given during the taking of the testimony that these unregistered voters severally possessed the constitutional qualifications. Any rule the committee may adopt will be conclusive against the right of the contestee to retain his seat and will clearly demonstrate that the contestant received a majority of all the legal votes cast for representative in Congress, at the election held on the 5th day of November, 1878.

Still another and most important question arises for the committee to decide and that is, when, under what circumstances, or degree of proof shall the returns from an election district be rejected and disregarded in the general count. We contend that whenever the correctness and integrity of the return is impeached, when the papers themselves show that illegal votes have been received and counted, that the election officers have conducted the election in such a way as to tarnish the entire proceedings by their own fraudulent and negligent acts, so that the returns are not intelligible, or the election, because

of such fraudulent conduct is not reliable, it may and does become obligatory upon every and all tribunals trying a contested election case to throw out from the general result the entire return from such election district. And wherever it is shown that the provisions of the election laws have been entirely disregarded by the board of election officers, and their conduct has been such as to render their returns utterly unworthy of credit, such conduct ought and will have the effect of destroying such returns as evidence. The statute to which reference has repeatedly been made, regulating the time, place and manner of holding an election, defines how the election officers shall conduct the election itself.

Section 9 of the act of January 30, 1874, provides, that all elections by the citizens shall be by ballot, and in order to conform to the requirements of section 4th, article VIII, of the constitution of 1873, further provides, that every ballot shall be numbered in the order in which it shall be received and the number recorded opposite the name of the elector from whom received. It also prescribes the oath, and by whom to be administered to the election officers respectively.

Section 10 provides what proof shall be required of persons whose names are not on the registry list of voters? the mode and manner of receiving the proof, we have already adverted to fully, in discussing the subject of the illegality of votes of persons whose names do not appear on the registry list of voters.

Section 11 prescribes the proof or evidence to be produced by naturalized persons, and that except where the person has voted for five years consecutively in the district in which he offers to vote, he shall produce the certificate of his naturalization at the election before voting, and that it shall be the duty of the election officers to write or stamp on such certificate the word "voted," with the day, month and year.

Section 12 provides how the votes cast shall be counted and returned, who shall take charge of the returns and to whom the same shall be delivered; how the returns shall be opened and counted, and where the ballot boxes shall be deposited.

Each and all, of the prescribed regulations were enacted by the Legislature in order to secure a fair and impartial election and an honest count of the votes cast. The observance of these several requirements by the board of election officers is of the very highest importance; and while it may not be sufficient cause to throw out the returns from a district where some of the minor details have not been observed, yet, where there has been a gross disregard of the important requirements of the statute, or if fraud be shown to exist to such an extent as to satisfy the mind that the return does not show the truth, and that it is impossible to ascertain with certainty what the legal vote cast in the district was, then it should never be permitted to form a part of the canvass; the precedents, as well as the entire requirements of truth not only sanction, but call for the rejection of the entire poll, when stamped with such characteristics. And it is now the settled law of the judicial tribunals of the country, as well as by the decisions of Congress and the Legislature of the several States, that an entire poll should always be rejected if it appears (1) That the persons conducting the election had no authority to do so; (2) That fraud was practiced in conducting the election; (3) That such irregularities or misconduct exist as to render the result uncertain. We quote in support of our position the following authorities: *Mann vs. Cassidy*, 1 Brewster, 61; *Thompson vs. Ewing*, 1 Brewster, 109; *Weaver vs. Given*, 1 Brewster, 157; *Covode vs. Foster*, Dig. Elect. cases, 1865-1871, page 600; *Italian vs. Reid*, *ibid*, 831; *Washburn vs. Vorhees*, *ibid*, 54; *Howard vs.*

Cooper, Bartlett's cases, page 275 ; McClure vs. Gray, Leg. Record Penna., 1872, page 1012.

The law thus established by the authorities quoted will compel perforce the rejection of the returns from the districts of Woodward township and Houtzdale borough, Clearfield county ; Philipsburg borough, Benner, College, Ferguson (new precinct), Liberty, Spring, and Union townships, Centre county ; West Keating township, Clinton county ; Horton township, Elk county ; Old Armagh and Union townships, Mifflin county, and White Deer township, Union county.

The testimony taken during the progress of this contest disclosed that in these several districts, not only that in each and all were there gross irregularities, but in some the election was tarnished by the actual fraud of the officers conducting the election. We make and prove specific charges that the election officers, who were in duty bound under the law to require of each elector a full compliance of the law, did themselves knowingly and wilfully violate the law and permitted others to do so ; that in the district of Woodward township the election board violate the law in the following respects, viz :

1st. In that they were themselves not sworn according to law.

2d. In that they did not use or check off the registry list as the electors voted, and no examination of the registry was made.

3d. That the board did not require persons not registered to make any affidavit or other proof of their residence in the district.

4th. That the board disregarded challenges of non-registered persons.

5th. That the clerk of the board was permitted to administer the oath as to payment of taxes, and that he wilfully administered but part of the oath prescribed, and disregarded the challenge upon this matter.

6th. That they did not require, save in a very few instances, the production of certificates of naturalization, although they knew that fully one-third of the persons claiming to vote in this district were of foreign birth, and had not voted in the district for five consecutive years.

7th. That one of the inspectors knowingly voted on an illegal and fraudulent tax receipt, and the other permitted his son to do so.

8th. That the board allowed all persons to vote who had 1876 tax receipts.

9th. That they permitted seventy and more persons whose names did not appear upon the registry list to vote, and did not take a single affidavit required by law, although the blanks for that purpose were furnished them.

10th. They disregarded the challenges of non-naturalized persons, and left the ballot-box unsecured at the election house for ten days after the election.

We charge that in Houtzdale borough,

1st. That the board was illegally organized and that a legal organization was prevented by confusion and a tumultuous assemblage of persons, and that the polls were not opened in consequence thereof for more than one hour after the time fixed in the law.

2d. That the board did not comply with the constitutional requirement in that they did not number a single ballot.

3d. That they did not check off the registry list.

4th. That they did not require affidavits and proof of residence from persons whose names did not appear on the registry, and permitted a large number of such persons to vote.

5th. That they did not require the production of naturalization papers, although they knew that one-half of the persons claiming to vote in the district were of foreign birth.

In Benner township, Centre county, the contestant has distinctly proven,

1st. That the election board was not sworn.

5d. That the ballot-box was stuffed.

3d. That no affidavits were returned and the law in general disregarded.

4th. That one of the inspectors and a clerk pilfered the ballot-box subsequent to the election, and that the ballots thus stolen were placed in the possession of contestee, and remained there more than seventy-five hours, and were then offered in evidence to rebut the proof of fraud by contestant, and that contestee was only able to call and prove eighty-five legal votes out of the one hundred and twenty-one returned for him in this district.

In College township, Centre county, the election board returned no list of voters; negligently disregarded many other important requirements of the election law; members of the board took from the ballot-box the list of voters, and placed them in the hands of contestee's counsel, by whom they were kept and suppressed.

In Philipsburg borough, Centre county, it was shown by the testimony that in accordance with the law, overseers were appointed but were not permitted to act. The election officers did not check off the names of persons as they voted; no use was made of the registry and no reference was made thereto. That they permitted a large number of persons whose names did not appear on the registry to vote without requiring the proof of residence in the district.

In the election districts of Ferguson township, west precinct, Centre county, West Keating township, Clinton county, Old Armagh and Union townships, Mifflin county, there was no registry of voters as required by the law, and no effort made by contestee to purge the poll or to prove the legality of the vote as returned.

That in Horton township, Elk county, the room occupied by the officers conducting the election was kept open and constantly filled by persons during the whole day, and that owing to the intimidation of the election officers, no fair election was had.

And that in White Deer township, Union county, *the judge and majority inspector, against the protest of the Democratic inspector, adopted a resolution on the morning of the election, that they would not require any affidavits or proof of residence from any persons whose names did not appear on the registry of voters, and who might claim the right to vote, and that this resolution was faithfully and effectually carried out, while the most important requirements of the statute regulating elections were wholly disregarded and violated.*

This, in brief, is a summary of some of the most important reasons shown by the testimony why the districts named should be rejected. And we submit that under the evidence, and the author thus quoted, the committee can not count the returns from these districts without doing violence to the rights of the contestant, and placing a premium upon fraud and gross carelessness.

This brings us to the consideration of another question in this case. In some of the districts above named the committee will be asked to count the legal vote proven, should they reject the returns from the districts as claimed by the contestant. That this may be done we do not dispute, for it is well settled both by principle and authority. Where the falsity of an election return is shown, the return may be set aside or disallowed; but the election itself may stand; and the legal vote proven to have been cast may be counted in the general result. Washburn vs. Voorhees, Dig. Cong. Elect. cases, 1865-1871, page 54; Julian vs. Ried, *ibid*, 831; Littlefield vs. Green, Brightly's Elect. cases, 493.

It may be contended on the part of the contestee that no notice can be taken by the committee of the unregistered votes shown by the evidence; that the contestant in his notice that he would contest the right of the contestee to a seat in the 46th Congress of the United States, did not specifically charge and set forth that unregistered votes were cast for the contestee. This was

not necessary. The contestant did give notice and charge that a large number of illegal votes were cast for contestee, and every unregistered vote, not proven to have been legally cast, and that the voter at the time of the election possessed the constitutional qualifications as to residence, came within the category of *illegal* votes, and is covered with this specification in the general charge and notice of the contestant.

In the three election districts, namely: Woodward township and Houtzdale borough, Clearfield county, and Benner township, Centre county, the contestant called and proved his legal vote during the time set apart by the act of Congress, for rebuttal. Contestee, by his counsel may argue that this testimony should not be considered, and the legal vote thus proven on the part of the contestant ought not to be counted; that it was not rebuttal, and that no evidence ought to be received during the time mentioned, that it was not strictly and technically rebuttal.

With this contention we do not agree. In the case of *Reed vs. Kneass*, *Brightly's Elect. cases*, 416, Judge King, one of the purest and ablest jurists that ever adorned the bench in Pennsylvania, says this, "Rebutting testimony is after all a thing dependent upon a sound discretion of the court, provided always, that the testimony is relevant; and the courts of Pennsylvania have gone very far upon this subject. To this effect we have the authority of Chief Justice Tighman in 4 Binney, 198, where he declares that material testimony ought not to be rejected merely because offered after the evidence closed on both sides, unless it has been kept back by trick or fraud, or the adverse party would be deceived or injured by it. The same doctrine is asserted in *Deval vs. Burbridge*, 6 W. & S., 529, where Judge Huston declares it requires a strong case, to authorize the absolute rejection of material testimony in any stage of the cause. Now I myself, if I am justified in quoting my own experience, have admitted testimony after the case closed, and for what: to advance and promote right; for those purposes the rule is, to receive material testimony offered at any stage, provided the offer is made *bona fide*, under stress of unforeseen circumstances and unaccompanied by trick or fraud." He says furthermore: "It does not follow because testimony may be admitted in chief, it may not be admitted by way of rebuttal."

It is always right and proper to receive evidence at any stage of the proceedings that is pertinent to the issue, and it can be no objection to the testimony that it might have been offered as part of the case in chief. It is a matter that lies in the discretion of the tribunal hearing the evidence, and that discretion ought never to be exercised in a way so as to exclude material testimony which will promote and advance right and justice between the parties. To this effect we quote: *Commonwealth vs. Gaines*, 50 Penn'a. St. Rep., 319; *Hessler vs. McGrath*, 52 Penn'a. St. Rep., 533.

But we contend that the evidence was even in a technical sense rebutting. Contestant having by his testimony attacked the truth of the returns and the fairness and legality of the election in the districts, could not presume that the contestee would admit the charges and not reply by showing error in the testimony offered by the contestant, or in some way disprove the serious charges made against these districts. Instead of pursuing this course, the contestee set up a *new defense* as it were to the charges. Not that the returns were true, or the election fair and legal, but that the contestee had so many legal votes in these districts. This did not conflict with the testimony offered by the contestant, but admitted its truth and force. It was new matter, not directly, but only inferentially conflicting with the averments of the contestant. It could not be anticipated that contestee would admit the charges of fraud made against the election and returns from these districts, and therefore

evidence of how many legal votes contestant received therein was admissible as rebuttal, though it may have been admissible in chief. *Stetson vs. Crosby*, 52 Penn'a St. Rep., 230. It is entirely consonant, therefore, with the rules of evidence laid down by Judge King and Judge Strong, now of the Supreme Court of the United States, for the committee to receive and give due weight to the proof of the legal votes for contestant in the election districts named, to the end that justice and right may be advanced, and the legal voters of the districts in question may not have their rights overthrown by the gross negligence and fraud of the election officers, supplemented by the frauds of the zealous supporters and partisans of the contestee.

We have thus briefly, as we could set forth our views of the law upon the different questions arising in this contest. We have confined ourselves to the legal aspects of the case, not stopping to discuss the evidence introduced by the contestant pointing to the corrupt use of large sums of money to secure the election of the contestee. It may be contended that the evidence disclosed but little of this matter in the case. It is true that the parties who were placed upon the witness stand to be examined upon this branch of the case, and who have testified fully upon this subject, took refuge behind the criminal's shelter and declined to answer. Their examination cannot but convince the impartial mind and judgment, that the corrupting power of money was freely used to secure the election of the contestee. That which is right and honest needs no concealment. Its honesty becomes only the more apparent, the more carefully it is scrutinized and enquired into. Viewed in this light, the evidence so far as given upon the corrupt use of money and the refusals to testify to the questions bearing upon this subject, must convince and convict the mind of any and all, who will examine into this branch of the case. Fraud and corruption do not often appear openly, and are not often practiced before the eyes of the public. Those who engage therein are generally careful to cover up and conceal the evidences of their evil work. For the first time in the history of elections in the 20th Congressional district was money corruptly and fraudulently used to affect the result and thwart the will of the majority. But, as we think, the effort was futile. The law and the evidence in this contest are with the contestant. We believe that a fair, honest and impartial construction of the law applied to the evidence, demonstrates that the contestee is now occupying a seat in Congress to which he was not elected by the legal votes, but that the contestant was elected to the 46th Congress of the United States from the 20th district of Pennsylvania by a large majority of the legal votes cast for Congress on the 5th day of November, 1878. Being firmly convinced of the rightfulness of the claim of the contestant, we ask for no strained construction of law or evidence, but only for a fair and an impartial hearing and a just decision.

All of which we respectfully submit.

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SUMMARY.

CENTRE COUNTY.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH—WEST WARD.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.		Unregistered Vote.			
			FOR WHOM CAST		FOR WHOM CAST.		By Harding's Rule.*	McCrary's Rule.†
			Curtin.	Yocum.	Curtin.	Yocum.		
Henry Derr.....	Bribery.....	404 406		1				
George Simms.....	do.	400		1				
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 1).....					5	2	3

Official vote—Curtin 42, Yocum 84. See page 137 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule*—Curtin 42, Yocum, 77; McCrary's rule†—Curtin 40, Yocum 79.

* See Duffy's case, 4 Brewster 532, Harding, P. J., which rules that all the illegal votes should be deducted from the candidate having the majority at that poll. It will be noted that this is a *Pennsylvania* case.

† See McCrary Am. Law Elections, sections 298, 299 and 300, where it is held that the illegal votes should be deducted from the respective candidates in proportion to the votes returned for them at that poll. See Ante, page 11. In the following pages this rule is only applied where it changes the *relative* vote, *i. e.* where the majority is considerable, in proportion to the whole vote cast.

MILESBERG BOROUGH.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>	CAST. <i>Yocum.</i>	FOR WHOM By Harding's Rule. | By McCrary's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>
James McCullough.....	No district residence.....	1571		1		
Jos. S. Baird.....	do.	1572		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 1)....				7	2

Official vote—Curtin 32, Yocum 98. See page 137 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 32, Yocum 89; McCrary's rule—Curtin 30, Yocum 91.

HOWARD BOROUGH.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 1)....			7	3	4
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Official vote—Curtin 38, Yocum 53. See page 137 (printed testimony).
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 38, Yocum 46; McCrary's rule—Curtin 35, Yocum 49.

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH.

Lewis Frank.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1532	1			
John Nuttall.....	Non-residence.....	1557 368		1		
Reuben Freeman.....	do.	318		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 1)....				23	10

Official vote—Curtin 142, Yocum 198. See page 137 (printed testimony).
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 141, Yocum 173; McCrary's rule—Curtin 131, Yocum 183.

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

Geo. F. Conoway.....	Non-residence.....	48	1	3	1	2
	Non-registry. See Appendix p. 2.).....					

Official vote—Curtin 22, Yocum 46. See page 137 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 22, Yocum 42; McCrary's rule—Curtin 21, Yocum 43.

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 2.).....			31	14	17
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Official vote—Curtin 104, Yocum 124. See page 137.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 104, Yocum 93; McCrary's rule—Curtin 90, Yocum 107.

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

Wm. Weaver.....	Non-payment of tax.....	106	1			
James Kennedy.....	do.	114 3087	1			
Cornelius Musser.....	Not registered.....	3324	1			
Henry Bitner.....	do.	3329 3371	1			
William F. Rarick.....	do.	3327 3370	1			
	Non-registry		2			

Official vote—Curtin 246, Yocum 63. See page 137.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 244, Yocum 63; McCrary's rule—Curtin 246, Yocum 63.

HALF MOON TOWNSHIP.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.		Unregistered Vote.		
			FOR WHOM CAST.	FOR WHOM CAST.	By Harding's Rule.	By McCrary's Rule.	
			Curtin.	Yocum.	Curtin.	Yocum.	
James Cross.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1303	1				
	Non-registry. See Appendix p. 2).....				.....	13	3
							10

Official vote—Curtin 31, Yocum 103. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 30, Yocum 90; McCrary's rule—Curtin 27, Yocum 93.

HOWARD FOWNSHIP.

Alexander Cox.....	Non-payment of tax.....	65		1			
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 2).....				.....	6	

Official vote—Curtin 81, Yocum 86.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 81, Yocum 79; McCrary's rule—Curtin 81, Yocum 85.

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

Martin Houser.....	Non-payment of tax.....	32	3130				
Robert Cox.....	do.	77		1			
T. J. Almond.....	Not registered.....	148	179	1			
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 2).....				.....	3	1
							2

Official vote—Curtin 34, Yocum 124. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 34, Yocum 118; McCrary's rule—Curtin 33, Yocum 119.

PATTON TOWNSHIP.

Frank Pennington.....	Non-payment of tax.....	41	1		
Bub Miller <i>alias</i> Wm. Dickerson	do.	72	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 3).....			8	2
6					

Official vote—Curtin 21, Yocum 112. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 21, Yocum 102; McCrary's rule—Curtin 19, Yocum 104.

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

David Shank.....	Non-payment of tax.....	54	68	1	
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 3).....				12
8					

Official vote—Curtin 75, Yocum 136. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 75, Yocum 123; McCrary's rule—Curtin 71, Yocum 127.

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

Geo. Chapman.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1580	1		
Michael Crofty.....	do.	91 126	1		
Wash. Johnson.....	do.	91 92 120	1		
Thornton Hunter.....	do.	91 92 93	1		
Jno. L. Clark.....	do.	3309	1		
Abram Baird.....	do.	1593			
J. F. Lutz.....	do.	1596	1		
David Wilson	do.	3315	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 3).....			39	17
22					

Official vote—Curtin 177, Yocum 240. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 175, Yocum 195; McCrary's rule—Curtin 158, Yocum 212.

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote		Unregistered Vote.			
			FOR WHOM CAST.		By Harding's Rule.	By McCrary's Rule.	FOR WHOM CAST.	
			Curtin.	Yocum.	Curtin.	Yocum.	Curtin.	Yocum.
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 3).....				.....	5	2	3

Official vote—Curtin 52, Yocum 65. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 52, Yocum 60; McCrary's rule—Curtin 50, Yocum 62.

WALKER TOWNSHIP.

J. H. Huston.....	Non-payment of tax.....	128	129		1			
Perry Steel.....	do.	3311	3092		1			
Frank Robb.....	do.	3218	3092		1			
	Non-registry.....	.....	.....		.....	7	4	3

Official vote—Curtin 199, Yocum 111. See page 137.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 192, Yocum 108; McCrary's rule—Curtin 195, Yocum 105.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH—NORTH WARD.

Bayard Hicks.....	Non-residence.....	118			1			
Daniel McGinley.....	Bribery.....	400	1281		1			
Thomas Miller.....	do.	400			1			
William W. Wolf.....	Non-payment of tax.....	125	165		—	4		

Official vote—Curtin 138, Yocum 133. See page 137 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote—Curtin 138, Yocum 129.

BENNER TOWNSHIP.

E. B. Roan.....	No citizenship and non-payment of tax	1456	1
William Collins.....	No citizenship.....	1480	1
John H. Powers.....	do.	1481	1
George H. Musser.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1485 1486	1
Conrad Fogleman.....	Non-residence.....	1489 1491	1
John M. Brower.....	No citizenship.....	1495	1
B. F. Leitzel.....	do.	1497	1
Benjamin Bodle.....	do.	1496	1
Frederick Houser.....	do.	1501	1
Thomas G. Perlue.....	do. and no tax paid.....	1285 3062	1
Daniel Powers.....	do.	1504	1
A. D. Swartz.....	do.	1507	1
James Fannon.....	do.	1493 3062	1
F. A. Foresman.....	do.	3201	1
		1	13

Official vote—Curtin 107, Yocum 120. See page 137 (printed testimony.)
Corrected vote—Curtin 106, Yocum 107.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

Thomas Kline.....	Non-residence.....	1572	1
Miles P. Heaton.....	do.	1573	1
			2

Official vote—Curtin 196, Yocum 209. See page 137.
Corrected vote—Curtin 196, Yocum 207.

CURTIN TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Harvey Watkins.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1332 3305	1	
			1	

Official vote—Curtin 54, Yocum 35. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 53, Yocum 35.

Unregistered vote all proven. See printed testimony pages 3257 to 3319.

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

Luther Gisewhite.....	Not registered.....	3343	1	
W. H. Cassler.....	do.	3337	1	
James F. Lengert.....	do.	3369	1	
John Vance.....	No citizenship and State residence.....	3343	1	
William Wolf.....	do.	3342	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 212, Yocum 107. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 212, Yocum 102.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3320 to 3380.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum</i>
Jesse McCloskey.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1311		1
S. S. Coons.....	do.	75 1317	1	

Official vote—Curtin 54, Yocum 130. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 53, Yocum 129.

MARION TOWNSHIP.

J. S. McCalmont.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3107	1	
Lewis Aikoy.....	do.	1304 1306	1	
Jeremiah Smeltzer.....	do.	3102	1	
			3	

Official vote—Curtin 94, Yocum 43. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 94, Yocum 40.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3257 to 3319.

PENN TOWNSHIP.

F. P. Otto.....	Not registered.....	3334	1	
C. A. Sturgtis.....	do.	3363	1	
			2	

Official vote—Curtin 267, Yocum 34. See page 137. Corrected vote—Curtin 267, Yocum 32.

Unregistered vote all proven. See printed testimony pages 3320 to 3380.

POTTER TOWNSHIP, NORTHERN PRECINCT.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
A. W. Garver.....	Not registered.....	3232		1
Ezra Crumbine.....	do.	3248		1
				2

Official vote—Curtin 166, Yocum 74. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 166, Yocum 72.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3223 to 3257.

POTTER TOWNSHIP, SOUTHERN PRECINCT.

Isiah Garis.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3227		1
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Official vote—Curtin 169, Yocum 79. See page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 169, Yocum 78.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3223 to 3257.

RUSH TOWNSHIP.

James Keith.....	Non-payment of tax.....	328	1
R. M. Keith.....	do.	331	1
R. M. Murphy.....	do.	335	1
Orren Vail.....	do.	344	1
Philip Iddings.....	do.	346	1
John Rose.....	do.	347	1
Levi Reynolds.....	do.	386	1
Luke Farrall.....	do.	335	1
			8

Official vote—Curtin 95, Yocum 95. See page 137.
 Corrected vote—Curtin 95, Yocum 87.

UNION TOWNSHIP.

George Hosband	Non-payment of tax.....	44	1
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Official vote—Curtin 61, Yocum 116. See page 137.
 Corrected vote—Curtin 61, Yocum 115.

CORRECTED RESULT IN CENTRE COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Bellefonte borough—N. ward.....	138	129	138	129
do. do. —S. ward, official	115	113	115	113.
do. do. —W. ward.....	42	77	40	79
Milesburg borough.....	32	89	30	91
Unionville borough.....official	34	43	34	43
Howard borough.....	38	46	35	49
Philipsburg borough.....	141	173	131	183
Boggs township.....	196	207	196	207
Benner township.....	106	107	106	107
Burnside township.....	22	42	21	43
College township.....official	64	185	64	185
Curtin township.....	53	35	53	35
Ferguson township, old precinct...	104	93	90	107
do. do. new " official	20	111	20	111
Gregg township.....	244	63	246	63
Haines township.....	212	102	212	102
Half Moon township.....	30	90	27	93
Harris township.....official	108	57	108	57
Howard township.....	81	79	81	85
Huston township.....	34	118	33	119
Liberty township.....	53	129	53	129
Marion township.....	94	40	94	40
Miles township.....official	228	79	228	79
Patton township.....	21	102	19	104
Penn township.....	257	32	257	32
Potter township, northern precinct..	166	72	166	72
do. do. southern precinct..	169	78	169	78
Rush township.....	95	87	95	87
Snow Shoe township.....	75	123	71	127
Spring township.....	175	195	158	212
Taylor township.....	52	60	50	62
Union township.....	61	115	61	115
Walker township.....	192	108	195	105
Worth township.....official	67	75	67	75
Total.....	3519	3154	3463	3318
Majority.....	365	.....	145	.....

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from Philipsburg borough and the townships of Benner, College, Liberty, Spring and the new precinct of Ferguson, should be thrown out, this majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony as follows: As to Philipsburg borough, pages 303, 312, 321, 371; Benner township, pages 13, 14, 18, 22, 24; College township, pages 11, 1250; Spring township, pages 82, 87, 94, 97, 99, 101; Liberty township, page 276; Ferguson, new precinct, pages 3124, 3135.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.	
			By Harding's Rule.	By McCrary's Rule.	By Harding's Rule.	By McCrary's Rule.
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Wm. Trump.....	Under age.....	3682	1			
Uriah Bamberger.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1922	1			
	Non-registry.				7	4
					7	3

Official vote—Curtin 77, Yocum 56. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 69, Yocum, 55; McCrary's rule—Curtin 72, Yocum 52.

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. See Appendix p. 15.).....				31	7	24
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Official vote—Curtin 61, Yocum 204. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 61, Yocum 173; McCrary's rule—Curtin 54, Yocum 180.

CHEST TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry.....				12	7	5
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Official vote—Curtin 99, Yocum 80. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 87, Yocum 80; McCrary's rule—Curtin 92, Yocum 75.

GIRARD TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST. <i>Curtin.</i>	FOR WHOM CAST. By Harding's Rule. <i>Yocum.</i>	By McCrary's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Simon P. Jury.....	Non-payment of tax.....	454		1		
Geo. W. Jury.....	do.	457		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 17).				9	3
6						

Official vote—Curtin 35, Yocum 66. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 35, Yocum 55; McCrary's rule—Curtin 32, Yocum 58.

GRAHAM TOWNSHIP.

Joseph Zolner.....	Non-citizenship and no tax paid.....	439		1		
Cyrus Hall.....	Non-payment of tax.....	441		1		
John S. Davy.....	do.	475		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 17).				15	6
9						

Official vote—Curtin 48, Yocum 80. See page 629.
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 48, Yocum 62; McCrary's rule—Curtin 42, Yocum 68.

GULICH TOWNSHIP.

Samuel Whitesides.....	Not naturalized.....	559		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 15).				20	6
14						

Official vote—Curtin 52, Yocum 127. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 52, Yocum 106; McCrary's rule—Curtin 46, Yocum 112.

CLEARFIELD BOROUGH.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote</i>	
			<i>FOR WHOM CAST.</i>	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
J. B. Larimer.....	Non-payment of tax.....			1
John W. Shugert.....	do.		1	

Official vote—Curtin 202, Yocum 140. See page 629 (printed testimony.)
Corrected vote—Curtin 201, Yocum 139.

HOUTZDALE BOROUGH.

John Barry.....	Non-residence.....	539	1	
B. V. Black.....	Non-payment of tax.....	591	1	
Peter Cameron.....	do.	591	1	
Daniel Sault.....	do.	2190		1
James Bradley.....	do.	1631	1	
Pat. Mullaehy.....	do.	2197	1	
Richard Lilly.....	do.	1634	1	
Edwd. Blake.....	do.	1638	1	
John McClosky.....	do.	1641	1	
Richard Bowen.....	do.	1820	1	
Pat'k. Cavenagh.....	do.	1822	1	
			8	3

Official vote—Curtin 97, Yocum 111. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 89, Yocum 108.

OSCEOLA BOROUGH.

George Merryman.....	Non-payment of tax.....	453	1
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Official vote—Curtin 86, Yocum 84. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 86, Yocum 83.

BECCARIA TOWNSHIP.

W. H. Davis.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3607	1
W. P. Hevery.....	do.	3609	1
John Shlay.....	do.	3610	1
Q. L. Herdman.....	do.	3500	1
Jester Herdman.....	do.	3501	1
Christian Frederick.....	do.	1804	1
Stephen Frederick.....	do.	1816	1
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		2	5

Official vote—Curtin 110, Yocum 109. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 108, Yocum 104.

BELL TOWNSHIP.

James Matt.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2147	1
Jackson Remaley.....	do.	1763	1
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		2	2

Official vote—Curtin 102, Yocum 12. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 100, Yocum 12.

BRADY TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote</i>	
			<i>FOR WHOM CAST.</i>	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
J. A. Durfee.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2105	1	
John W. Rickert.....	do.	2120	1	
W. D. Yoas.....	do.	2121	1	
George Shugerts.....	do.	2122	1	
David McKinney.....	do.	2124	1	
James B. Nolder.....	do.	1918	1	
Sam'l. Troy.....	do.	2124	1	
Daniel Place.....	do.	1771	1	
George W. Moore.....	do.	495		1
Frank Leech.....	do.	495		1
Erastus Imboden.....	do.	3641		1
George W. Weaver.....	do.	3633		1
John Drummont.....	do.	551		1
Rule S. Cummings.....	Non-residence.....	495		1
Isaac Hendricks.....	Bribery.....	495		1
James Murphy.....	do.	620		1
	Non-payment of tax.....			
			8	8

Official vote—Curtin 355, Yocum 219. See page 629 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote—Curtin 347, Yocum 211.

DECATUR TOWNSHIP.

William Williams, Sr.....	Non-payment of tax.....	614	1
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J. A. Sankey.....	Non-payment of tax.....	613	599	1
Gabriel Lucas.....	do.	1712		1
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				2

Official vote—Curtin 105, Yocum 127. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 104, Yocum 125.

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP.

A. J. Gulich.....	Non-payment of tax.....	470		1
Henry Litz.....	do.	482		1
R. A. Green.....	do.	484		1
Wm. Swales.....	do.	551		1
Reuben A. Norris.....	do.	597		1
Geo. Noll.....	Non-residence	485		1
Henry Weiser.....	do.	487	486	1
Isaiah Fullerton.....	do.	570		1
Milton H. Miller.....	Illegally rejected Curtin voter.....	595		1
Harvey Passmore.....	Non-residence	570		1
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				10

Official vote—Curtin 249, Yocum 136. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 249, Yocum 126.

MORRIS TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
George J. Trimble.....	Not naturalized.....	432		1
George Trimble, Sr.....	do.	569 3670		1
James Thompson.....	Non-payment of tax.....	436		1
Ephraim Trout.....	Non-residence	438		1
				4

Official vote—Curtin 165, Yocum 124. See page 629.
Corrected vote—Curtin 165, Yocum 120.

PIKE TOWNSHIP.

Joseph Addlenan.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2069	1	
John F. Stage.....	do.	2070	1	
Lewis Olmstead.....	do.	2076	1	
John Anderson.....	do.	1660	1	
Seymour Ross.....	do.	1668	1	
Rev. Smith Pratt.....	do.	447		1
Woods Appleton.....	do.	449		1
W. U. Stage.....	do.	408 451		1
Robert Addlenan.....	do.	451		1
Benjamin Johnson.....	do.	451		1
Samuel D. Bailey.....	do.	3621		1
Augustus Bayh.....	do.	3643		1
A. D. Fink.....	do.	452		1

H. T. Bloom.....	Bribery.....	413		1
Jacob White.....	do.	413		1
John Appleton.....	do.	413		1
			5	11

Official vote—Curtin 154, Yocum 86. See page 629.
 Corrected vote—Curtin 149, Yocum 75.

CORRECTED RESULT IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Burnside borough.....official	12	34	12	34
Clearfield borough.....	201	139	201	139
Curwensville borough.....official	53	106	53	106
Houtzdale borough.....	89	108	89	108
Lumber City borough.....official	30	30	30	30
Newburgh borough.....official	26	10	26	10
New Washington borough.....official	29	21	29	21
Osceola borough.....	86	83	86	83
Wallaceton borough.....official	28	3	28	3
Beccaria township.....	108	104	108	104
Bell township.....	100	42	100	42
Bloom township.....official	33	22	33	22
Boggs township.....	69	55	72	52
Bradford township.....official	118	146	118	146
Brady township.....	347	211	347	211
Burnside township.....	61	173	54	180
Chest township.....	87	80	92	75
Covington township.....official	59	68	59	68
Decatur township.....	104	125	104	125
Ferguson township.....official	63	43	63	43
Girard township.....	34	55	31	58
Goshen township.....official	29	47	29	47
Graham township.....	48	62	42	68
Greenwood township.....official	49	39	49	39
Gulich township.....	52	106	46	112
Huston township.....official	79	99	79	99
Jordan township.....	56	58	64	50
Karthus township.....official	48	51	48	51
Knox township.....official	102	29	102	29
Lawrence township.....	249	126	249	126
Morris township.....official	165	120	165	120
Penn township.....official	74	57	74	57
Pike township.....	149	75	149	75
Union township.....official	25	51	25	51
Woodward township.....	109	93	75	127
Total.....	2971	2671	2932	2712
Majority.....	300	.....	220	.....

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from Houtzdale borough and Woodward township should be thrown out, this majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony as follows: As to Houtzdale borough pages 535, 527, 1858; Woodward township, pages 504, 509, 513, 593, 592.

CLINTON COUNTY.

LOCK HAVEN—FIRST WARD.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.		Unregistered Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.	
			Curtin.	Yocum.	Curtin.	Yocum.
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 17).				.....	18

Official vote—Curtin 154, Yocum 175. See page 914 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 154, Yocum 157; McCrary's rule—Curtin 154, Yocum 175.

LOCK HAVEN—THIRD WARD.

John McMasters.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3766	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 17).		.....	6	

Official vote—Curtin 134. See page 915 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 117, Yocum 127; McCrary's rule—Curtin 117, Yocum 133.

LOCK HAVEN—FOURTH WARD.

J. O. Kinley.....	Non-payment of tax.....	786	797	1	
Charles Bowers.....	do.	786	797	1	
John Edward Johnson.....	do.	3790		1	
John Harvey.....	do.	794	797	1	
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).		.....	1	

Official vote—Curtin 139, Yocum 125. See page 2545 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 138, Yocum 121; McCrary's rule—Curtin 139, Yocum 121.

BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>	By Harding's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i>	By McCrary's Rule. <i>Yocum.</i>
J. M. A. Miller	Non-payment of tax..... Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).	2433		1		2

Official vote—Curtin 51, Yocum 79. See page 909.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 51, Yocum 76; McCrary's rule—Curtin 51, Yocum 78.

BEECH CREEK TOWNSHIP.

John Romig.....	Non-payment of tax and no citizen- ship.....	797		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).			.....	1	

Official vote—Curtin 80, Yocum 61. See page 2530 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 79, Yocum 60; McCrary's rule—Curtin 80, Yocum 60.

CHAPEMAN TOWNSHIP.

Chas. Kitchen.....	Non-payment of tax.....	819	918			
Geo. W. Mitchell.....	do.	819		1		
Alexander MacIn.....	Non-residence.....	2319		1		
Henry R. Cady.....	Non-residence and no tax paid.....	3740	3762	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).		.....	.....	14	

Official vote—Curtin 77, Yocum 76. See page 2525 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 62, Yocum 73; McCrary's rule—Curtin 76, Yocum 73.

PINE CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Geo. L. Myer.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2352	2354	1				
Jacob A. Cline.....	do.	2353	2403	1				
William Rice.....	do.	2349						
David T. Christ.....	do.	3750	3752	1				
	do.	3763	3752	1				
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).							8

Official vote—Curtin 103, Yocum 104. See page 2568.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 101, Yocum 94; McCrary's rule—Curtin 101, Yocum 102.

LEIDY TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11).					11	4	7
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Official vote—Curtin 31, Yocum 56. See page 913 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 31, Yocum 45; McCrary's rule—Curtin 27, Yocum 49.

ALLISON TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11).					7	3	4
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Official vote—Curtin 66, Yocum 110. See page 908 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 66, Yocum 103; McCrary's rule—Curtin 63, Yocum 106.

COLEBROOK TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11).					6	2	4
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Official vote—Curtin 22, Yocum 43. See page 910.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 22, Yocum 37; McCrary's rule—Curtin 20, Yocum 39.

LOCK HAVEN—SECOND WARD.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
John Pettett	Non-payment of tax.....	784		1

Official vote—Curtin 146, Yocum 138. See page 2573.
 Corrected vote—Curtin 146, Yocum 137.

MILL HALL BOROUGH.

Wm. Cridler.....	Non-residence.....	766 761		1
Wm. A. Calderwood.....	do.....	768 750		1
Michael Karstetter.....	do.....	771		1
John Stiver.....	do.....	772		1
H. M. Barrett.....	do.....	772		1
Geo. Wolf.....	do.....	773		1
Samuel Harris.....	do.....	774		1
John Snodgrass.....	do.....	774 2328		1
John S. Garth.....	do.....	775 2331		1
Q. S. Garth.....	do.....	776		1
Wm. A. Masden.....	do.....	776		1
Henry Stiver.....	do.....	777		1
Alfred C. Mann.....	do.....	777		1
Chas. B. McCormick.....	do.....	778		1
Wm. Johnson.....	do.....	779		1
Saml. Stiver.....	do.....	779		1
T. J. Elder.....	do.....	780		1
Huston Bressler.....	do.....	781		1
Wm. D. McCormick.....	do.....	781		1

Geo. W. Barrett.....	do.	772 781	1	1
C. R. Gearhart.....	do.	2334	1	
James Flanigan.....	do.	2334	1	
Michael Cushing.....	do.	2334	1	
John Keener.....	do.	2335	1	
Abner Edmonson.....	do.	2335	1	
L. L. Haughawont.....	do.	2336	1	
John Howley.....	do.	2335	1	
		2332 2331		
		3691 2343	1	
Adam McClain.....	do.	2350 2378		
		2343		
			8	20

Official vote—Curtin 47, Yocum 86. See page 916.

Corrected vote—Curtin 39, Yocum 66.

CRAWFORD TOWNSHIP.

Wm. Wilt.....	Not of age.....	785		1
W. L. L. Shadle.....	Non-payment of tax and non-residence.....	3704		1
		3708 3719		
Peter E. Irvin.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2383		1
Martin Thomas.....	do.	3713		1
Geo. S. Shadle.....	do.	3715 3719		1
		2383		
				5

Official vote—Curtin 52, Yocum 39. See page 2561.

Corrected vote—Curtin 52, Yocum 34.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3688 to 3804.

GALLAGHER TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Robert Moore.....	Non-residence.....	799 2429 787		1
George W. Moore.....	do.	790		1
Robert M. Moore.....	do.	793		1
Calvin Packer.....	Non-payment of tax.....	795		1
George W. Green.....	do. and non-residence	796		1
				5

Official vote—Curtin 41, Yocum 18. See page 2533.

Corrected vote—Curtin 41, Yocum 13.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3688 to 3804.

GRUGAN TOWNSHIP.

George Kelly.....	Non-payment of tax and no citizen- ship.....	3822		1
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Official vote—Curtin 45, Yocum 9. See page 2552.

Corrected vote—Curtin 45, Yocum 8.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3688 to 3804.

LOGAN TOWNSHIP.

Joseph Herb.....	Non-residence.....	2409	1	
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Robert H. Brown.....	Non-payment of tax and non-citizen- ship.....	3748			1
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Official vote—Curtin 180, Yocum 18. See page 2558.

Corrected vote—Curtin 179, Yocum 17.

Unregistered vote all proven. See printed testimony pages 3688 to 3804.

LOGANSVILLE BOROUGH.

Wm. R. Goodman.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2410	1		
Jesse M. Adams.....	do.	3723		1	
Wade Barnum.....	do. and non-residence	3254		1	
			1		2

Official vote—Curtin 64, Yocum 33. See page 2577.

Corrected vote—Curtin 63, Yocum 31.

Unregistered vote all proven. See pages 3688 to 3804.

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP.

John Boyer.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3760		1	
Samuel Workman.....	do.	3821		1	
Edward Seebold.....	do.	3728		1	
					3

Official vote—Curtin 130, Yocum 83. See page 2468 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote—Curtin 130, Yocum 80.

Unregistered vote all proven. See pages 3688 to 3804.

WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
John Strong.....	Non-payment of tax.....	806 804 805 3746 3757 3756		1
Isaac Strong.....	do.	808		1
George Ashton.....	do.	810		1
Wm. A. Edgar.....	do.	811		1
Robert F. Strong.....	do.	813		1
Eli Henninger.....	do.	814		1
James L. O'Donald.....	do.	816		1
Frank Edgar.....	do.	821		1
James R. Frederick.....	do.	823		1
Hugh E. O'Donnell.....	do.	823		1
Reuben Longnecker.....	do.	823		1
Henry J. Snyder.....	do.	2360	1	1
John W. Johnson.....	do.	2361	1	1
Thomas G. Simeox.....	do.	2362	1	1
Richard H. Quiggle.....	do.	2363	1	1
John G. Davis, Sr.....	do.	2364	1	1
Abram Simeox.....	do.	2372	1	1
Wash. S. McClure.....	do.	2374	1	1
Saml. Cable.....	do.	2375	1	1
Wm. Connell.....	do.	2372	1	1
W. M. Quiggle.....	do.	2377	1	1
Peter Miller.....	do.	2416 2435	1	1
John Hoyt.....	do.	3813		1

	Non-payment of tax.....	3960		
N. P. Clendennin.....	do.	3695	3757	1
William Catham.....	do.	3697	3757	1
George Ritter.....	do.	3698	3746	1
Joseph Simcox.....	do.	3699	3746	1
Thomas K. Shortlidge.....	do.	3704	3795	1
B. F. Tonner.....	do.	3728	3795	1
James Pipes.....	do.			
			11	19

Official vote—Curtin 92, Yocum 68. See page 2536.
 Corrected vote—Curtin 81, Yocum 49.

CORRECTED RESULT IN CLINTON COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Allison township.....	66	103	63	106
Bald Eagle township.....	51	76	51	78
Beech Creek township.....	79	60	80	60
Beech Creek borough.....official	34	55	34	55
Chapman township.....	62	73	76	73
Colebrook township.....	22	37	20	39
Crawford township.....	52	34	52	34
Castanea township.....official	33	29	33	29
Dunstable township.....official	56	49	56	49
Gallauber township.....	41	13	41	13
Grugan township.....	45	8	45	8
Greene township.....official	182	64	182	64
East Keating township.....official	17	26	17	26
West Keating township.....official	20	25	20	25
Lamar township.....official	125	177	125	177
Leidy township.....	31	45	27	49
Logan township.....	179	17	179	17
Logansville borough.....	63	31	63	31
Lock Haven—First ward.....	154	157	154	175
do. Second ward.....	146	137	146	137
do. Third ward.....	117	127	117	133
do. Fourth ward.....	138	121	139	121
Mill Hall borough.....	39	66	39	66
Noyes township.....official	77	18	77	18
Pine Creek township.....	101	94	101	102
Porter township.....official	93	102	93	102
Renovo township.....official	291	264	291	264
Wayne township.....	81	49	81	49
Woodward township.....	130	80	130	80
Total.....	2525	2137	2532	2180
Majority	388	.....	352	.....

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from West Keating township should be thrown out, the majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony pages 732 to 749.

ELK COUNTY.

BENEZETT TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST By Harding's Rule. | By McCrary's Rule.		FOR WHOM CAST By Harding's Rule. | By McCrary's Rule.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
John Tuttle.....	Non-residence	1117		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11).				17	8

Official vote—Curtin 65, Yocum 70. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 65, Yocum 52; McCrary's rule—Curtin 57, Yocum 60.

BENZINGER TOWNSHIP.

Pat'k Fleming.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2744			1	
David Leslie.....	do. do.	2749			1	
Joshua Sykes.....	do. do.	2756			1	
Joseph Corly.....	Non-citizenship and State residence...	2758			1	
Mathias Gurg.....	Non-residence.....	2724			1	
Michael Willart.....	Non-payment of tax.....	4036			1	
John Hoffman.....	do. do.	3946			1	
Anthony Gibbons.....	do. do.	2726	1			
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 19).					
					8	7

Official vote—Curtin 295, Yocum 34. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 286, Yocum 27; McCrary's rule—Curtin 287, Yocum 26.

FOX TOWNSHIP.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.		Unregistered Vote.		
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.		
			Curtin.	Yocum.	By Harding's Rule.	By McCrary's Rule.	
Thomas Thomas.....	Non-payment of tax.....	926					1
Ewd. Goodman.....	Non-residence.....	927					1
Thomas Moriarty.....	do.....	928					1
Franklin Showers.....	Non-payment of tax.....	943					1
Ephraim Denton.....	do.....	944					1
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11),				20	9	11

Official vote—Curtin 126, Yocum 155. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 126, Yocum 130; McCrary's rule—Curtin 117, Yocum 139.

HORTON TOWNSHIP.

George Reedy.....	Non-residence.....	924					1
Arnold Grove.....	do.....	926					1
Philip Rhodes.....	do.....	1060					1
Joel Taylor.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2783					1
E. C. Wood.....	do.....	2786					1
Walter Rudolph.....	do.....	2787					1
Warren Mosher.....	do.....	2802					1
Chauncey Brockway.....	do.....	2809					1
Fred. Burchfield.....	do.....	2804 2810					1
Herbert C. Burchfield.....	do.....	2804 2812					1
Pearl Fields.....	Non-residence.....	2815					1
Henry O. Stevens.....	do.....	2609					1
John Silvis.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2618					1
William Vibbert.....	Non-residence.....	2623					1

Thomas Blair.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2628	1						
Wesley Yale.....	do.	2631	1						
Reuben Iddings.....	Non-residence.....	2637	1						
Joseph B. Pauley.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2641	1						
Samuel Pauley.....	do.	2643	1						
J. W. D. DeLong.....	do.	2646	1						
G. W. Huffman.....	do.	2655	1						
A. L. Mathers.....	do.	2659	1						
J. B. Frantz.....	Non-residence and non-payment of tax.....	2660	1						
John McMan.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2666	1						
James H. Mashier.....	do.	2667	1						
Henry A. Clinton.....	do.	2675	1						
G. A. Brockway.....	do.	2682	1						
A. J. Myers.....	do.	2697	1						
James Bennet.....	do.	930	1						
Richard Himes.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1090	1						
	Non-residence.....								
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 11.).....							8	2
									6

Official vote—Curtin 41, Yocum 105. See page 1054.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 40, Yocum 68; McCrary's rule—Curtin 38, Yocum 70.

JAY TOWNSHIP.

Edward W. Gray.....	Non-residence.....	3861	3971	1					
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 12.).....								6

Official vote—Curtin 34, Yocum 47. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 34, Yocum 40; McCrary's rule—Curtin 34, Yocum 46.

RIDGEWAY TOWNSHIP.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>		<i>Unregistered Vote.</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>	By Harding's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i>	By McCrary's Rule. <i>Yocum.</i>
Jos. B. Conlin.....	Non-payment of tax.....	932		1		
W. F. Mercer.....	Non-residence (State).....	932 946		1		
Dennis Haley.....	Not of age.....	2843 2848	1			
John E. Boyle.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2830	1			
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 12).				34	11
23						

Official vote—Curtin 108, Yocum 236. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 106, Yocum 200; McCrary's rule—Curtin 95, Yocum 211.

JONES TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 12).			15
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Official vote—Curtin 67, Yocum 73. See page 1054.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 67, Yocum 58; McCrary's rule—Curtin 67, Yocum 73.

SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Jacob Wingert.....	Non-residence.....	920	1		
Wakefield Brockway.....	do.	929	1		
Jacob Mock.....	do.	4055	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 12).			11	3
8					

Official vote—Curtin 13, Yocum 28. See page 1054 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 13, Yocum 14; McCrary's rule—Curtin 10, Yocum 17.

ST. MARY'S BOROUGH.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote</i>	
			<i>FOR WHOM CAST.</i>	
			<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Jacob Miller.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3828		1
Charles D. Utley.....	do.	3843		1
				<u>2</u>

Official vote—Curtin 223, Yocum 42. See page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 223, Yocum 40.

Unregistered vote all proven. See testimony pages 3824 to 4086.

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP.

Orin C. Keltz.....	Not of age.....	922		1
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Official vote—Curtin 22, Yocum 6. See page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 22, Yocum 5.

HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP.

Edw. Gorton.....	Non-residence.....	2837		1
Benjamin Knickerbocker.....	do. also a repeater.....	2845 4050		1
				<u>2</u>

Official vote—Curtin 16, Yocum 7. See page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 16, Yocum 5.

CORRECTED RESULT IN ELK COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Benezette township.....	65	52	57	60
Benzinger towunship.....	286	27	287	26
Fox township.....	126	130	117	139
Highland township.....	16	5	16	5
Horton township.....	40	68	38	70
Jay township.....	34	40	34	46
Jones township.....	67	58	67	73
Millstone township.....	22	5	22	5
Ridgeway township.....	106	200	95	211
Spring Creek township.....	13	14	10	17
St. Mary's borough.....	223	40	223	40
Total.....	998	639	966	692
Majority.....	359	.....	274	.....

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from Horton township should be thrown out, this majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony pages 951, 1060, 1066, 1069, 1070, 1072, 1074, 1076, 1081, 1090, 1096, 3930, 3933.

UNION COUNTY.

LEWISBURG—NORTH WARD.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.		Unregistered Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST.		FOR WHOM CAST.	
			Curtin.	Yocum	By Harding's Rule. Curtin.	By McCrary's Rule. Yocum.
James Lenhart.....	Not of age.....	1174		1		
Frank High.....	Non-residence.....	2961		1		
David High.....	do.	2965		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 14).				10	4
Official vote—Curtin 130, Yocum 180. See page 1207.						
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 127, Yocum 170; McCrary's rule—Curtin 123, Yocum 174.						

LEWISBURG—SOUTH WARD.

Horace C. Hall.....	Non-residence.....	1177		1		
Joseph T. Gallagher.....	do.	1181		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 14).				13	4
Official vote—Curtin 70, Yocum 161. See page 1207.						
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 70, Yocum 146; McCrary's rule—Curtin 66, Yocum 150.						

LEWISBURG—WEST WARD.

John Gray.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1183		1		
Wm. F. Bell.....	Non-citizenship.....	1184		1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 14).				13	4
Official vote—Curtin 51, Yocum 99. See page 1207.						
Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 51, Yocum 84; McCrary's rule—Curtin 47, Yocum 88.						

MIFFLINBURG—WEST WARD.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i> FOR WHOM CAST. <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Unregistered Vote.</i> FOR WHOM CAST. By Harding's Rule. | By McCrary's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>		
				<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
	Error in official returns conceded.....		7			

Official vote—Curtin 77, Yocum 80. See page 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 70, Yocum 80.

BUFFALO TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 14).	49	19	30
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Official vote—Curtin 141, Yocum 223. See page 1207.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 141, Yocum 174 ; McCrary's rule—Curtin 122, Yocum 193.

EAST BUFFALO TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 14).	11	3	8
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Official vote—Curtin 66, Yocum 181. See page 1207.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 66, Yocum 170 ; McCrary's rule—Curtin 63, Yocum 173.

WHITE DEER TOWNSHIP.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 13).	35	13	22
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Official vote—Curtin 149, Yocum 264. See page 1207.

Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 149, Yocum 229 ; McCrary's rule—Curtin 136, Yocum 242.

CORRECTED RESULT IN UNION COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Buffalo township.....	141	174	122	193
East Buffalo township.....	66	170	63	173
West Buffalo township.....official	106	142	106	142
Gregg township.....official	115	106	115	106
Hartley township.....official	122	133	122	133
Hartleton township.....official	33	35	33	35
Kelley township.....official	55	166	55	166
Limestone township.....official	84	102	84	102
Lewis township.....official	63	95	63	95
Lewisburg borough—North ward...	127	170	123	174
do. South ward...	70	146	66	150
do. West ward....	51	84	47	88
Mifflinburg borough—East ward....	59	77	59	77
do. West ward....	70	80	70	80
New Berlin township.....official	60	88	60	88
Union township.....official	74	88	74	88
White Deer township.....official	149	229	136	242
Total.....	1445	2085	1398	2132
Majority.....	.....	640	.....	734

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from White Deer township should be thrown out this majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony pages 1196 2996.

MIFFLIN COUNTY.

LEWISTOWN—EAST WARD.

Name of <i>Illegal Voter</i> .	Ground of <i>Illegality</i> .	Page.	<i>Illegal Vote.</i> FOR WHOM CAST. <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>	<i>Unregistered Vote.</i> FOR WHOM CAST. By Harding's Rule. | By McCrary's Rule. <i>Curtin.</i> | <i>Yocum.</i>	
				<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Reuben Houser.....	Not of age.....	4201	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).			3	

Official vote—Curtin 187, Yocum 172. See page 1161 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 184, Yocum 171; McCrary's rule—Curtin 187, Yocum 171.

LEWISTOWN—WEST WARD.

Calvin Butler.....	Non-payment of tax.....	4095	1		
	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).			7	

Official vote—Curtin 175, Yocum 155. See page 1161 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 167, Yocum 155; McCrary's rule—Curtin 174, Yocum 155.

NEWTON HAMILTON BOROUGH.

	Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 5).				3
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Official vote—Curtin 32, Yocum 44. See page 1161 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 32, Yocum 41; McCrary's rule—Curtin 32, Yocum 44.

OLD ARMAGH TOWNSHIP.

Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 8).....	231	98	133
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Official vote—Curtin 104, Yocum 142. See page 1161 (printed testimony.)
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 104, Yocum 142; McCrary's rule—Curtin 6, Yocum 9.

NEW ARMAGH TOWNSHIP.

Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 4).....	7	3	4
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Official vote—Curtin 75, Yocum 97. See page 1161.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 75, Yocum 90; McCrary's rule—Curtin 72, Yocum 93.

BRATTON TOWNSHIP.

Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 18).....	2		
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Official vote—Curtin 97, Yocum 71. See page 1161.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 95, Yocum 71; McCrary's rule—Curtin 97, Yocum 71.

BROWN TOWNSHIP.

Non-registry. (See Appendix p. 4).....	28	13	15
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Official vote—Curtin 107, Yocum 118. See page 1161.
 Corrected vote, Harding's rule—Curtin 107, Yocum 90; McCrary's rule—Curtin 94, Yocum 103.

CORRECTED RESULT IN MIFFLIN COUNTY.

	<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Armagh township (old).....	104	142	6	9
Armagh township (new).....	75	90	72	93
Bratton township.....	95	71	97	71
Brown township.....	107	90	94	103
Decatur township.....	96	94	85	105
Derry township.....	196	172	172	196
Granville township.....	152	115	158	115
Lewistown borough—East ward....	184	171	187	171
do. West ward....	167	155	174	155
McVeytown borough.....official	80	54	80	54
Menno township.....official	109	119	109	119
Newton Hamilton borough.....	32	41	32	44
Oliver township.....	113	90	115	90
Union township.....	123	153	10	13
Wayne township.....	124	94	127	94
Total	1757	1651	1518	1432
Majority	106	.....	86	.....

But should the committee come to the conclusion that the returns from the townships of Old Armagh and Union should be thrown out, this majority will be corrected accordingly. For the evidence on this point see printed testimony as follows: As to Old Armagh township page 1126; Union township page 1126.

GENERAL RESULT IN THE DISTRICT.

	<i>Official Vote.</i>		<i>By McCrary's Rule.</i>		<i>By Harding's Rule.</i>	
	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.	CURTIN.	YOCUM.
Centre county..	3535	3486	3463	3318	3519	3154
Clearfield " ..	3034	2914	2932	2712	2972	2672
Clinton county.	2565	2264	2532	2180	2525	2137
Elk county.....	1010	803	996	692	998	639
Mifflin county..	1782	1767	1518	1432	1757	1651
Union county..	1455	2220	1398	2132	1445	2085
Total.....	13381	13454	12839	12466	13216	12338
Majority.....	.....	73	373	.....	878	.....

Official majority—Yocum 73.

Actual majority, McCrary's rule—Curtin 373.

Actual majority, Harding's rule—Curtin 878.

It will be observed that the above result has been reached without impeaching the regularity of the elections held for Benner township and Philipsburg borough, in Centre county, Woodward township and Houtzdale borough, in Clearfield county, or Horton township, in Elk county. As to these districts, the contestee practically concedes the allegations of the contestant by abandoning the official returns and undertaking to establish the true result of the election, such as it was, then and there held by evidence aliunde. The issue thus tendered was promptly accepted and a large amount of testimony taken, to which we respectfully refer the committee. It will be seen that in Woodward township, Clearfield county, the contestee was found to have received a legal majority of but THREE votes, instead of the 91 fraudulently returned for him. (See pages from 494 to 564, from 1785 to 1886, from 2219 to 2295, from 2193 to 2214, and from 3408 to 3606.) In the borough of Houtzdale, same county, instead of a *returned* majority for the sitting member of 14, there were in fact 56 more legal votes proven to have been cast for the contestant than for the contestee. (See pages 545 to 549, 1630 to 1650, 1806 to 1809, 2184 to 2311, and from 3427 to 3687.) As to Horton township, Elk county, see pages 1058 to 1104 and 2606 to 2856, where the contestee again signally failed to justify his returned majority. Considerable testimony to the same effect was taken relative to Philipsburg borough and Benner township, Centre county, to which we would invite the attention of the committee, were it not merely cumulative of a majority in favor of the contestant already sufficiently decisive for all practical purposes.

But we must insist that the returns for White Deer township, Union county, should be entirely excluded. The officers had just sworn and subscribed a sol-

emn oath that they "*would not receive any ticket or vote from any person without requiring such evidence of the right to vote as is directed by law,*" that evidence being the "*written or partly written and partly printed affidavits*" of the claimant himself, and ALSO an "*additional written or partly written and partly printed affidavit of at least one qualified voter of the district,*" stating the facts upon which the right to vote is claimed. (See Sec. 10, act January 30, 1874.) And yet it is incontestibly proven that the election board of White Deer township not only omitted to exact this requirement, but deliberately passed an official resolution to ignore and disregard it. (See printed testimony, page 1196, where one of the inspectors swears: "*We did pass a resolution that we would call NONE but the person claiming to vote, and we would swear him (them) and ask them questions concerning their right to vote without requiring any written or printed evidence either from the voter or any one else.*" After thus formally and officially resolving to nullify one of the most vital provisions of the election law of the State, and by so doing violate their official oaths, they proceeded—not to hold a legal election—but to receive votes on the basis agreed upon, resulting in a majority of 115 for the sitting member, 42 more than the Official District Return under which he took his seat. Further comment is unnecessary.

APPENDIX.

UNREGISTERED VOTES, NOT PROVEN, IN TOWNSHIPS GIVING MAJORITY FOR CONTESTEE.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY—WEST WARD.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
87	Roland Craig,	79	Peter Foot,	5
76	Daniel Hoover,	80	Josiah Fute,	
98	Charles Hall,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 174 and 205.

MILESBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

123	I. P. Bouleau,	119	John H. Hahn,	7
117	William Furey,	42	Byers Price,	
100	James Heverly,	115	I. W. Shope,	
121	Isaac Sager,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 242 and 260.

HOWARD BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

7	James Morrison,	17	John B. Holder,	7
13	John A. McGee,	60	W. N. Neff,	
69	J. B. Akers,	80	M. J. Hays,	
47	George W. Council,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 189 and 207.

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

141	Austin Atherton,	224	W. H. Imboden,	23
53	W. G. Bardry,	310	J. B. Kernes,	
205	J. C. Braden,	47	Henry Lehman,	
51	John Crain,	320	William C. Lehr,	
221	James Carter,	332	E. Plummer,	
294	Andrew Clare,	333	James Ryan,	
55	John Fish,	313	James Trimmer,	
133	Luice Frank,	43	Orlando Weston,	
308	John Ginchery,	248	James N. Way,	
274	Isiah Hunt,	116	William M. Ross,	
336	William Hess,	258	Haymer Saway,	
209	T. C. Jones,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 287 and 391.

BURN-SIDE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
48	Mont Askey,	20	John Olinger.	3
50	George Rosencrans,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 231 and 266.

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP, EAST PRECINCT, CENTRE COUNTY.

89	Samuel J. Atlee,	36	W. C. Myers,	31
91	F. G. Archey,	119	D. W. Miller.	
240	A. G. Archey,	133	Wm Miller,	
52	W. H. Bennett,	166	Jonathan Musser,	
231	W. H. Bumgardner,	241	A. R. Markle,	
6	J. C. Eckel,	22	J. H. Ross,	
20	Andrew Firms,	9	O. M. Whipple,	
196	Charles Fryer,	46	Henry Webb,	
56	George Griem,	50	Jacob F. Weibly,	
65	James Glassgow,	199	George Wilson,	
24	Daniel Harpster,	1	R. P. Craig,	
39	J. G. Hess,	49	E. C. Frye,	
125	J. C. Houser,	118	Henry A. Garner,	
186	George E. Harper,	88	George H. Woods,	
230	S. K. Hess,	90	J. C. Johnson,	
174	Adam H. Krumrine,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 248 and 274.

HALF MOON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

43	Russell Bigelow,	127	Durbin Wrye,	13
60	John Cowfer,	128	J. W. Bean,	
39	J. H. Deaver,	94	John M. C. Miller,	
71	David Miess,	118	J. F. Payne,	
124	Chas. Peary,	85	B. A. Swoop,	
96	Frank Stevens,	137	T. W. Gray.	
77	Wm. Wrye,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 234 and 261.

HUSTON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

24	Charles Richards.	150	Stuart Reid,	3
59	Charles Swisher,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 146 and 156.

HOWARD TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

116	Wash. Daugenbaugh,	159	John Barklow,	6
28	Jesse Lucas,	124	Wm. Chatman,	
151	Alfred Shank,	174	Hays Shank,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 195 and 208.

PATTON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
42	Geo. W. Behrer,	69	Alfred Miller,	8
98	Lau Beck,	131	T. G. Miller,	
75	Simon Nolen,	87	William Rockey,	
57	Harry Reeser,	94	Caleb Kephart,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 221 and 258.

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

26	I. A. Crissman,	171	David McCloskey,	12
138	Pat'k Heaton,	38	John Redley,	
161	John Harshberger,	144	Wm. Thompson,	
200	Thomas Healy, Jr.,	147	Alfred Thompson,	
194	Philip Krollman,	39	H. M. Watson,	
176	James Linn.	66	Philip Walker,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 217 and 263.

SPRING TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

333	Wm. H. Alters,	318	Abraham Hammett,	39
298	S. A. Bell,	397	Uriah Housel,	
325	Wm. Bitler,	417	Israel Hoover,	
400	Andrew Breon,	108	M. A. Kirk,	
409	Wm. Barnhart,	370	Michael Kelly,	
332	L. P. Corman,	304	Richard Lutz,	
346	John Corman,	254	W. H. Mallory,	
351	Chas. Corman,	305	James Minich,	
395	B. F. Creamer,	322	Jonathan Neff,	
160	Wilson Davis,	328	John Osmer,	
110	Andre Emil,	413	John Pease,	
193	Henry Everly,	241	Wm. Rauckhauser,	
282	Calvin Eckly,	355	Samuel Rice,	
171	Stephen Frost,	378	Irwin Taylor,	
324	Frank Folchert,	405	George Tressler,	
342	J. Milton Furey,	122	Sandford Wilson,	
177	G. P. Gentzell,	209	George Eby,	
222	David Hendershot,	279	G. W. Noll,	
244	John Hines,	365	John Roundtree,	
313	Ho. K. Hoy,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 225 and 271.

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

91	Herbon Blowers,	21	Jonah Griffith,	
50	T. G. Vaughn,	26	A. R. Price,	
76	Daniel Moore,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 199 and 210.

DERRY TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
97	J. J. Akers,	101	Jacob Smith,	52
325	Stewart Albright,	361	J. Stuck,	
345	Geo. W. Ayres,	417	James Smith,	
54	Daniel Ayres,	372	W. Hewitt,	
351	W. R. Price,	96	Jerry Janoe,	
353	D. R. Price,	75	John Koon,	
425	Wm. Prettyleaf,	162	H. Kaley,	
407	Jno. Pennypacker,	403	Saml. Tomlison,	
416	David Rupert,	105	Christ Miller,	
257	James Bushman,	120	S. J. Myers,	
258	R. Barger,	123	P. T. Mertz,	
1	Homer Cropper,	173	Daniel Mowry,	
20	W. Carln,	159	Millord Muthersbaugh	
40	John A. Cramer,	370	D. H. Meek,	
82	S. Chesnut,	294	D. S. Price,	
331	J. C. Cubbison,	303	A. J. Ready,	
274	James Dreese,	306	W. H. Roges,	
358	Thomas True,	310	J. S. Reddy,	
145	R. C. Graham,	245	R. H. Stewart,	
326	M. Garver,	261	S. Strail,	
413	E. F. Gross,	206	W. R. Triester,	
195	John Hall,	378	W. M. Temple,	
375	M. C. Radcliff,	341	Geo. N. Ulsh,	
63	Jacob Shoop,	330	W. H. Vanorman,	
74	James Stewart,	989	Peter Wertz,	
88	J. W. Sayer,	404	W. J. Yeager,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1133 and 1110.

NEW ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

121	Daniel Krotzer,	170	Fredrick Pecht,	7
89	Henry Miller,	147	W. D. Ramsey,	
156	James C. Negney.	37	Robert Shaw,	
23	Charles E. Philips,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1149 and 1120.

BROWN TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

30	George Bell,	175	W. E. McMinn,	
39	John Bell,	201	G. F. Miller,	
119	John A. Bowers,	173	H. T. Peters,	
184	Bates Bell,	19	James Reed,	
234	Silvester Ecard,	137	D. W. Reynolds,	
79	M. R. Ferguson,	179	George Rights,	
68	Jos. Galbraith,	78	James A. Swint,	
113	Henry Harmon,	99	John H. Taylor,	
126	John W. Hunt,	81	Foster Taylor,	
89	John M. Tunison,	185	James Taylor,	

BROWN TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
155	Joseph Kelp,	188	M. P. Weaver,	28
12	Samuel Mills,	52	Simon K. Yoder, Sr.,	
158	J. B. Morrison,	115	John D. Yoder,	
171	George Mull,	23	H. G. Yon,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1143 and 1115.

NEWTON HAMILTON BOROUGH, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

22	L. Hollingsworth,	14	J. W. Robinson,	3
65	J. S. Norton,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1147 and 1119.

DECATUR TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

166	Jacob C. Arnold,	213	Robt. W. Ingram,	24
79	James Bryant,	38	Levi Kerstetter,	
119	J. C. Burkholder,	74	Erastus Kemerling,	
90	J. W. Free,	179	W. L. Mothersbaugh,	
14	H. J. Gross,	178	Simon W. Arnold,	
27	F. W. Grining,	205	Charles W. Oldt,	
109	George Gardner,	149	M. G. Riggle,	
32	David Hook,	212	Henry Raley,	
122	John Henry,	103	Howard Strawp,	
135	Ellis Hummell,	138	Luther Scott,	
136	Ceylon C. Hummell,	120	Philip H. Will,	
214	Hiram Harpster,	17	Jas. Yetter,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1153 and 1113.

UNION TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

78	Reuben Axe, Sr.,	147	Samuel Kauffman,	
86	Wm. F. Axe,	160	John F. Kauffman,	
106	Isaac Axe,	169	Samuel Knepp,	
115	Wm. G. Aultz,	182	J. D. Kelly,	
123	Wm. W. Axe,	184	Christian Kauffman,	
144	James Alexander,	197	David H. Kauffman,	
151	Robert A. Alexander,	202	Simson Kenagy,	
185	Howard Alexander,	216	Wm. H. Kosier,	
189	Peter Anthony,	222	Elias Kenagy,	
208	Henry A. Auaround,	269	John H. Kurtz,	
239	Reuben Axe, Jr.,	276	Jacob Koon,	
263	W. R. Alexander,	11	H. A. Lantz,	
265	R. M. Alexander,	18	W. O. Lantz,	
273	Alfred Aultz,	55	J. J. Lashell,	
20	C. C. Bennett,	80	J. P. V. Libkisher,	
41	Jonathan Y. Byler,	9	Samuel R. McClay,	
69	James N. Bennett,	46	Wm. McNabb,	
85	Cyrus Brindle,	56	Hon. Robt. P. McClay,	

UNION TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
87	John C. Brindle,	62	Charles McNabb,	
111	George Beek,	64	Samuel Machamer,	
119	James M. Bullick,	74	J. H. McClintic,	
133	Elpha C. Biglow,	96	James T. Wills,	
156	S. B. Byler,	113	J. H. McClay,	
183	Jonathan L. Byler,	138	K. P. McClay, Jr.,	
224	Richard Brindle,	157	J. D. McClinket,	
228	Solomon H. Byler,	163	J. H. Morrison,	
259	Emor N. Bulick,	39	J. A. McClure,	
266	Levi K. Beyler,	174	H. W. Matterson,	
267	Eli Byler,	191	D. A. McNabb,	
170	Henry Bawel,	214	William J. McCauley.	
277	Rudolph Byler,	235	James McCormick,	
278	George Byler,	243	W. McCauley, Sr.,	
10	Joseph Campbell,	272	Jessee McCollum,	
44	Samuel Cogley,	14	W. C. Nelson,	
47	Rev. R. Campbell,	203	Joseph Osborn,	
94	John Carolus,	204	George W. Osborn,	
104	James A. Conner,	238	Charles Osborn,	
122	Robert Campbell,	141	Daniel Peters,	
128	Williamson Cummins,	161	Jonathan Plank,	
131	N. R. Kriger,	172	C. B. Peachy,	
132	Robt Clinger,	210	Joseph Potts,	
143	A. W. Campbell,	220	J. R. Peters,	
158	J. O. Campbell,	225	Samuel Y. Plank,	
177	J. A. Campbell,	233	Christian E. Peachey,	
196	R. D. Campbell,	40	Charles Rodgers,	
212	Milton Campbell,	51	Charles Rodgers, Sr.,	
240	John Clinger,	114	William Rusler,	
242	Samuel Clinger,	155	Lemuel Rusler,	
250	John Carson,	187	Wm. G. Roper,	
255	Alonzo Russler,	200	Lewis Reel,	
258	George Corolus,	205	John Koser,	
274	Willis Clinger,	192	Joseph L. Roper,	
53	Robert Dixon,	244	Samuel M. Riden,	
226	Jacob K. Detwiler,	32	M. D. Snyder,	
246	David J. Detwiler,	35	J. D. Stroup,	
22	Henry Evans,	68	George Smith,	
213	Amos Ealy,	112	John Sankey,	
21	A. L. Focht,	117	Levi W. Smith,	
37	John Fultz,	146	William Smith,	
254	John Ealy,	221	John A. Steele,	
48	Adam Finkle,	232	Lawrence Stroup,	
50	David Fultz,	245	Edward Stump,	
54	Rev. David J. Foulk,	251	Adam Steely,	
59	W. W. Focht,	253	James Scott,	
84	Isaac Frankhouser,	268	Benjamin Smoke,	
95	Henry Fox,	42	George Trostle,	

UNION TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
100	Rev. Moses Floyd,	57	Henry P. Taylor,	
126	Michael Fox,	60	Pat Troy,	
178	Jacob Finkle,	199	A. M. Thomas,	
217	Dr. J. B. Floyd,	173	Hampton Utts,	
252	Samuel G. Fultz,	6	Isaac Wartman,	
275	Samuel Finkle,	45	David Weiler,	
13	W. C. Gardner,	71	William Wagner,	
16	John Gibbony,	150	R. A. Willis,	
23	A. G. Gibbony,	162	Adam Wademan,	
31	A. B. Garner,	206	J. W. Wilson,	
61	John Gilliland, Jr.,	219	Willis C. Willis,	
65	Levi C. Glass,	230	Henry Withers,	
66	Charles B. Gibbony,	1	Benjamin Yoder,	
81	J. R. Garver,	3	Ben. P. Yoder,	
137	Levi Glass, Sr.,	15	Jacob N. Yoder,	
152	A. F. Gibbony, Sr.,	72	Jonathan K. Yoder,	
175	S. G. Gilliland,	76	Solomon K. Yoder,	
198	E. B. Grassmer,	82	Wesley Young,	
207	S. W. Gilliland,	88	Christ. G. Yoder,	
231	William Gibbony,	90	Israel T. Yoder,	
249	Wesley Gooden,	92	Christian H. Yoder,	
256	Howard Gibbony,	91	Levi B. Yoder,	
264	Wm. T. Gross,	93	Christian Z. Yoder,	
5	Samuel Haffley,	97	Levi D. Yoder,	
12	Miles Haffley,	105	Samuel K. Yoder,	
24	Levi Hostetter,	107	Jonathan N. Yoder,	
26	Edward Harman,	109	John L. Yoder,	
27	W. J. Haffley,	73	Isaac K. Yoder,	
30	Wm. B. Harman,	120	David Young,	
33	Jesse W. Horton,	130	Richard Young,	
36	H. J. Horton,	135	Abraham Yoder,	
43	G. G. Harman,	139	Peter Yoder,	
48	Adam Hartzler,	153	John H. Young,	
58	Jos. B. Hostetter,	159	John H. Yoder,	
101	Clinton Haffley,	166	David H. Yoder,	
108	Joseph Hobaugh,	154	James Young,	
110	David K. Hooley,	168	John N. Yoder,	
118	Solomon Heninger,	176	Daniel C. Yoder,	
121	A. C. Hennerson,	488	Yost Yoder, Sr.,	
124	M. F. Hudson,	236	Joseph C. Yoder,	
125	Solomon Harman,	241	Jacob Young,	
129	David Hostetter,	260	Christian P. Yoder,	
142	Joseph Y. Hostetter,	262	Levi Z. Yoder,	
148	Wesley Heminger,	28	Jacob Y. Zook,	
171	John Hayes, Sr.,	70	Daniel Zook,	
179	Levi G. Hartzler,	75	Benjamin Zook,	
186	John Harkness,	70	Jacob B. Zook,	
195	Jacob Hull,	83	Jonathan S. Zook,	

UNION TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
201	Joseph Haffley,	89	Moses F. Zook,	253
211	S. C. Haffley,	98	Simon K. Zook,	
237	Lewis Harmon,	102	John P. Zook,	
248	Solomon Z. Hartzler,	136	David H. Zook,	
257	Yost Hartzler,	140	Jacob Zook,	
261	Jonah Hayes,	167	Solomon Zook,	
271	James Hayes,	180	John G. Zook,	
279	Christ Hooley,	154	Christ. J. Zook,	
181	Wm. S. Jones,	34	Isaac Horton,	
2	B. F. Klepper,	209	Joel Zook,	
29	Wilson Knepp,	218	Enoch A. Zook,	
103	John B. Kauffman,	227	John D. Zook,	
134	George Koser,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1156 and 1122.

OLD ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

9	Peter Barefoot,	114	Robert Cummins,
10	A. A. Brown,	117	Samuel Culberson,
68	W. F. Alexander,	123	H. J. Close,
142	Hugh Aitkens,	135	James N. Carson,
134	Lot Armstrong,	164	Isaac Coldren,
212	C. R. Alexander,	166	W. G. Carson,
216	R. B. Alexander,	167	J. H. Camp,
77	John Barger,	169	J. M. Crissman,
162	Ed. Krichbaum,	170	Saml. D. Coldren,
132	Isaac Bobb,	186	Austin E. Coleman,
168	Leonard Barger,	199	William Coldren,
177	Peter Bailey,	228	John Chamberlain,
181	E. A. Barger,	241	Samuel E. Close,
195	Frank B. Baker,	250	W. T. Close,
233	S. S. Barger,	5	James Davis,
238	A. F. Black,	6	James Davis,
11	I. W. Coplin,	14	S. V. Dye,
12	John Contner, Jr.,	37	Thomas Depo,
17	Owen Coplin,	118	Wash Delaney,
24	G. W. Crissman,	180	Elias Dean,
27	John Camp, Sr.,	201	J. P. Derr,
35	James Contner,	203	W. S. Dellelt,
71	W. H. Culberson,	234	J. I. Dellelt,
96	A. E. Close,	46	W. H. Ebaugh,
153	S. S. Cottle,	156	Wm. Ehrnfield,
111	Thomas Close,	184	Jacob R. Elliott,
193	J. N. Emill.	174	Lewis Houser,
3	Jos. D. Forrey,	97	C. Hartman,
43	David Felmly,	103	Joseph Hoar,
85	Robert Forrey,	140	Thomas B. Henry,
127	Jacob Felmly,	145	Joseph Hassenplug,

OLD ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
232	L. M. First,	112	Adam Henry,	
236	G. W. Fleck,	124	G. M. Havice,	
23	William Grem,	175	Amos Hetrick,	
30	John N. Gwinn,	190	Philip Hassenplug,	
58	Walter Graham,	202	Abraham Harsbarger,	
102	John D. Gommill,	208	A. S. Harshbargar,	
149	Levi Gearheart,	213	Joseph Hartman,	
165	D. S. Graham,	198	Wm. Hawk,	
189	A. W. Graff,	209	John Hartman,	
226	John Gemill,	219	C. Hoolley,	
231	Adam Greer,	230	J. T. Hassenplug,	
16	Uriah S. Hoar,	109	Frederick Havice,	
20	W. P. Henry,	110	John W. Havice,	
32	E. P. Harvey,	129	A. J. Johnson,	
42	Samuel F. Henry,	82	J. S. Killmer,	
45	O. P. Harpster,	95	Saml. Kesler,	
49	Ezra M. Hoopes,	108	Emer Kibb,	
51	Nelson Hoar,	151	Jacob Krise,	
56	John Hunter,	191	John Kohler,	
69	Perry Hassinger,	242	W. C. Hesler,	
72	John Havice,	84	Thomas Longwell,	
80	Samuel J. Havice,	161	Henry Lehr,	
91	John Hall,	197	G. W. Linthurst,	
217	W. C. Linthurst,	137	Samuel B. McNitt,	
227	Samuel Limbert,	143	John C. McClintic,	
240	Samuel Linthurst,	147	Thompson McCormick	
244	John P. Linthurst,	159	W. D. McNitt,	
200	John Magary,	119	Elliott McDowell,	
235	John Mabin,	122	Eugene Miller,	
1	W. C. McClenahan,	126	Joseph Mouch,	
2	James C. McNitt,	131	Wm. McNitt,	
4	H. McClintic,	157	G. McClenathan,	
18	Thompson McManigal	163	C. F. McCormick,	
26	Jacob Maben,	172	A. B. McNitt,	
33	Samuel McClay,	194	M. M. Naginey,	
47	Andrew Maben,	204	Joseph Mathews,	
48	David Maben,	229	John Miller,	
59	P. B. Moore,	254	J. R. Maben,	
61	Chrisley Myers,	67	John D. Naginey,	
62	D. F. Moore,	146	W. C. Naginey,	
63	Thomas B. McNitt,	150	John R. Nale,	
78	John McDowell,	125	Samuel Neese,	
81	James McNitt,	245	W. W. Nale,	
83	Henry Moore,	40	J. W. Ocker,	
86	F. McClintic,	36	John B. Platt,	
89	John L. McNitt,	106	John Pecht,	
92	Wm. H. McLenahan,	196	Frank Pecht,	
93	Wm. McClintic,	205	Wm. Pecht,	

OLD ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
101	James McManigal,	98	William Thompson,	231
107	C. B. McClenathan,	144	Albert Thompson,	
75	John W. McClelland,	116	Ner. Thompson,	
55	Wm. Payne,	179	Saml. P. Triester,	
66	C. E. Ramsey,	183	James Thompson,	
76	John Rapp,	220	Jake Triester,	
104	Lewis Reed,	248	O. B. Thompson,	
139	Joseph Kamer,	74	Warner Underwood,	
141	J. L. Russler,	138	Newton Underwood,	
152	Hamilton Ramsey,	19	William Wilkey,	
115	Daniel Ramer,	28	David Wylan,	
133	John Riden,	29	Alexander Wray,	
182	George Reed,	54	Joseph Wagner,	
192	W. I. Rusler,	60	Henry C. Worley,	
214	Fernando Rogers,	65	S. S. Wagoner,	
218	E. M. Russle,	79	Wm. Wylan,	
21	John A. Shoemaker,	87	John W. White,	
25	S. G. Shannon,	100	Samuel Worley,	
52	Josiah Showalter,	136	James Wylan,	
70	W. A. Sterrett,	148	Lawrence Wall,	
88	Freman Shipton,	120	Isaac Ward,	
128	Samuel Stringfellow,	130	Taylor Wagoner,	
176	Reuben Stump,	171	Jacob Wagoner,	
178	Henry Shirk,	221	Peter Woodburn,	
185	H. P. Seigler,	222	T. M. Williamson,	
188	Reed Sample,	237	W. Worrell,	
215	W. E. Stringfellow,	246	G. W. Young,	
225	S. R. Spangler,	31	H. A. Gwinn,	
239	Joseph Stringfellow,	34	John Contner, Sr.,	
249	F. E. Sunday,	64	R. J. McNitt,	
41	Roland Thompson,	154	W. W. Dillett,	
243	C. H. Williamson,	155	J. A. Cottle,	
247	James Wagoner,	158	C. J. Ehrenfield,	
7	James Rusler,	210	Cyrus Alexander,	
38	John H. Rager,	251	Ewd. Ritter,	
53	Moses Thompson,	252	Robert T. Close,	
57	Ira Thompson,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1189 and 1121.

ALLISON TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

30	W. H. Bridgens,	77	Wm. Tidlow,
130	Harvey Keiffer,	156	John Logue,
145	Howard Witzell,	169	Isaac Fogel,
89	Geo. Esenwine,		

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 866 and 845.

COLEBROOK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
50	Patrick Donahay,	54	C. F. Earon,	6
17	M. L. Eaton,	38	Wm. Grugan,	
45	John Murphy,	15	Thomas Ryan,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 866 and 846.

LEIDY TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

21	James Couch,	86	Scott Dickenson,	11
26	Daniel Glosner,	57	Charles Dodge,	
83	Samuel Nelson,	13	M. K. Nelson,	
43	Baxter Roberts,	1	Nicholas Watt,	
60	Milton Summerson,	85	John Wilson,	
4	Davies Walters,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 884 and 854.

BENEZETT TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

38	Geo. Daugherty,	112	John Tuttle,	17
84	Robert Jones,	63	Thomas Boyle,	
55	T. J. Lewis,	90	James Biglan,	
13	John Mahen,	124	Hugh Breunen,	
126	John Miller,	37	William English,	
107	Abner Ober,	131	John H. Fink,	
114	John Ober,	14	L. D. Hawley,	
129	David Schwertd,	67	Samuel Rathburn,	
104	R. J. Winslow,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 969 and 954.

FOX TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

71	Charles Brandmiller,	161	Cornelius McCusker,	20
148	Joseph Brahm,	261	Peter Ponser,	
233	John Brown,	35	Eugene Thompson,	
239	Isaac Brown,	253	Ephraim Denton,	
45	Anthony O'Chase,	220	Edward Goodman,	
65	John Copelli,	76	James H. Keeley,	
250	Thomas Craig,	157	Andrew Lintner,	
156	Frank W. Clafferty,	269	Thomas Thomas,	
23	Wellington Emmett,	141	John Wonderly,	
212	Samuel Kelly,	272	Thomas Moriarty,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 971 and 956.

HORTON TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

128	E. C. Bennett,	79	Richard Himes,	8
66	Lewis Frants,	92	John Hyatt,	
46	Isaac Graham,	116	Henry Halst,	
103	George W. Gardner,	7	Henry Yale,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 973 and 963.

JAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
87	Wm. J. Erieg,	29	Charles J. West,	6
74	Patrick M. Pike,	55	James A. Burke,	
88	T. F. Furley,	93	Edwin W. Gray,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 975 and 963.

RIDGEWAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

350	John Anderson,	179	William McChesney,	34
13	Joseph Black,	93	Frank Paullman,	
206	Charles Brack,	313	A. J. Parker,	
307	Fred Baretzsky,	224	Charles Quinn,	
71	Pat'k Collins,	254	C. P. Guinn,	
178	Thomas Conlin,	83	James Harm,	
347	Henry Iloff,	254	Fred'k Hemke,	
211	Henry Dahlor,	118	Jacob Steis,	
216	John Dolan,	329	Jerry Sheean,	
292	John Dallenback,	138	Henry Warner, Jr.,	
12	Michael Egler,	280	Jno. Boyle,	
129	Dennis Flynn,	35	Dennis Healy,	
262	Swen Froberg,	339	Henry Iloff,	
230	D. Farrell,	347	Henry Iloff,	
64	J. M. Gillette,	240	Taylor Rhine,	
256	Christian Lindgren,	107	Joseph D. Stone,	
46	Peter Mann,	231	John Schilk,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 978 and 965.

JONES TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

167	Victor Abot,	13	Marshe Myers,	15
125	Daniel Crankin,	47	Michael Myers,	
156	Louis Van Flick,	91	Tim Moser,	
151	John Henderson,	90	Peter Myers,	
180	John Hausman,	174	Fen O'Garry,	
181	Lome Hertzman,	165	George Powers,	
68	Edward Johnson,	30	Frank Wauk,	
80	Martin Lowe,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 976 and 959.

SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

8	Mathew Chandley,	38	Lester Schools,	11
49	J. H. Carbon,	18	Wake Brockway,	
35	Saml. Hildebrant,	41	John Lahive,	
46	James Q. Sweeny,	40	George D. Messenger,	
24	John Kelso,	29	Jacob Wingard,	
14	Levi L. Miller,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 981 and 965.

WHITE DEER TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
69	Martin Broward,	360	Jacob F. Erdley,	35
78	Richard Bennage,	104	John S. Miller,	
142	George Botin,	214	James W. Noll,	
164	John Bitting,	198	J. M. Rawling,	
372	Jno. L. Bitting,	292	James Bressler,	
400	Sim Biddle,	317	Saml. J. Ranek,	
371	E. Cramer,	15	W. P. Ritter,	
293	Alfred Denuis,	265	John Stadden,	
373	John Erb,	407	Jacob J. Katherman,	
288	Wm. R. Tollmer,	24	J. A. Sanders,	
252	R. M. Griffy,	92	John J. Smith,	
278	J. N. Guyer,	136	Geo. W. Schenery,	
110	Geo. U. Hertz,	183	Saml. P. Smith,	
215	Wm. T. Huff,	221	John Trait,	
228	H. R. Hutchison,	75	H. A. Weless,	
34	Daniel Kolp,	79	James Zigler,	
73	David Kawk,	403	J. R. Runk,	
135	Phaus Koser,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1230 and 1234.

BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

36	J. F. Brown,	405	Jacob S. Helvick,	49
85	Jack Bottiger,	228	Wm. L. Irwin,	
183	Geo. W. Bigler,	31	Daniel Joels,	
238	J. K. Berkamer,	83	Joseph Lebard,	
245	David Beaver,	190	J. P. Miller,	
96	Jack Benjamin,	325	G. F. Miller,	
254	J. W. Crouse,	184	H. B. Rilly,	
262	Solomon Clase,	225	Isaac Ruhl,	
61	Lewis Dauberman,	141	Wm. A. Walter,	
339	Reuben Feasted,	271	Solomon Renner,	
91	W. R. Gerhard,	311	James Rigel,	
316	W. F. Glover,	219	Henry Reimert,	
13	Saml. H. Himmelreich	70	J. W. Spangler,	
14	Wilson Herman,	77	Wilson Smith,	
63	Flert Hauck,	87	Lewis Shaffer,	
150	John Hafer,	163	Simon Snyder,	
169	Joseph Harman,	246	William Stoot,	
194	Ellis Heimbach,	263	Jacob E. Shrader,	
244	Israel Helrig,	302	Ulrich Strickler,	
251	Clarence Hauck,	315	Johnson Shell,	
280	Samuel Haackenberg,	360	Charles Steniger,	
281	Jas. A. Haackenberg,	158	Jacob Weinghard,	
284	John Hoy,	278	William Wolfe,	
297	Calvin Homel,	285	Wm. C. Wixongaren,	
353	Geo. A. Turner,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1238 and 1241.

EAST BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
22	James Beacham,	75	John G. Smith,	11
151	Milton Brouse,	211	Charles Schruck,	
107	Albert Dewire,	172	Isaac Young,	
147	W. B. Ervin,	187	David Young,	
138	Frederick Micely,	235	Francis E. Brown,	
117	John G. Smith,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1223 and 1225.

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, UNION COUNTY—WEST WARD.

50	Geo. M. Bennett,	28	William Lloyd,	13
71	John H. Betzer,	29	Noah Lloyd,	
120	Samuel Brocius,	30	John Lloyd,	
143	Frekerick Davis,	107	William Lloyd,	
36	W. T. Grier,	6	Wm. W. Musser,	
49	John H. Gray,	92	Thomas F. Stannard,	
33	Leopold Koch,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1220 and 1221.

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, UNION COUNTY—SOUTH WARD.

91	S. C. Carroll,	227	P. B. Stahl,	13
233	J. C. Catherman,	198	Brady Thompson,	
180	C. L. Fry,	147	H. C. Wolfe,	
187	Wilfred Gerhard,	175	A. (C.) Waldron,	
70	John Hauck,	140	J. T. Gallagher,	
77	James Knittle,	148	H. C. Hall,	
120	Josh Neyhart,			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1215 and 1217.

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, UNION COUNTY—NORTH WARD.

177	L. R. Asten,	117	W. B. Hefelfinger,	10
303	Joseph Burris,	11	W. S. Lineback,	
190	Jacob Defrain,	192	Wm. Thomas,	
104	Samuel Torum,	3	J. F. Walker,	
113	Miles Irwin Greenwalt,	114	H. N. Wendel,	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 1208 and 1211.

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
92	Bee, Jacob	159	Neff, Gideon	31
192	Bates, F. C.	233	Nichtly, John	
209	Brother, Charles	83	Penticoff, Jacob	
94	Brickley, Jerry	23	Rummell, Charmsbus	
79	Dunmier, Peter	175	Riley, J. C.	
95	Fulton, Albert	27	Stiffler, Peter J.	
179	Fulton, Daniel	30	Smead, Henry	
188	Fry, Amos B.	46	Souman, Harrison	
251	Good, Amos	100	Selring, Abner B.	
205	Hulton, Edward	101	Selring, Wm. C.	
4	Keim, Daniel	151	Smead, Jackson	
32	Kneedler, Joseph	240	Thompson, Aaron	
223	Kane, Harry	158	Westover, Wm.	
190	Langdon, David	191	Walls, Johnson	
48	Millison, Samuel	260	Westover, John E.	
77	Nichtly, Henry			

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 719 and 714.

GULICH TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

19	Ausborn, Aaron	150	Ginter, James	20
24	Bowers, John	12	Hunter, John	
118	Croyle, Philip	99	Knoffs, Saul	
175	Croyle, Wm.	76	McFarling, Robt.	
154	Elliott, E.	138	Osborn, Hugh	
36	Fulkerson, S. O.	124	Rebmes, Wm., Sr.	
46	Fox, Fred.	33	Stiles, Edward	
61	Foster, Joseph	155	Sedswick, J. M. B.	
112	Flynn, Daniel	132	Tipton, Mathew	
95	Gibney, Benjamin	170	Tipton, Wm.	

For poll and registry lists see printed testimony, pages 726 and 655.

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

146	Albot, Jackson	39	Freeman, John	
7	Brewer, D. H.	187	Fanney, Peter	
15	Boyer, A. D.	43	Goss, A. J.	
243	Bowen, Richard	58	Gyles, Edward	
75	Canty, P. M.	79	Greaves, Cartwright	
164	Croyle, Jeff.	173	Gould, John	
190	Casey, Michael	209	Garrity, Joseph	
218	Carl, William	266	Gill, J. W.	
303	Davis, T. P.	230	Garrett, Joseph	
41	Denny, Joseph	28	Hamil, James	
124	Delander, John	34	Higgins, Joseph	
134	Donovan, Daniel	253	Harrison, Joseph	
193	Edy, W.	264	Haines, Edward	
227	Elridge, Burton	267	Higgins, S. G.	

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
293	Hoffman, John	279	Morgan, Richard	
119	Hull, Anthony	280	McFilony, Edward	
162	Hill, William	281	McGowan, Frank	
217	Hill, Levi C.	298	McArchy, Daniel	
162	John, William	311	McGrath, James E.	
201	John, William T.	312	Maher, Joseph D.	
220	Jenkins, Geo.	14	Neff, A. G.	
154	Jandaty, Joseph	169	Norton, C. L.	
225	James, Thomas	180	Nollern, John	
21	Kline, Oscar	229	O'Connell, John	
156	Kephart, Joseph	275	Owens, Roger	
213	Kline, Allen	143	Palmer, John	
263	Kelly, D. J.	31	Rowles, J. M.	
18	Kneppenburger, Hiram	88	Ross, Fern	
26	Kanlen, John S.	150	Reese, Joseph	
24	Lacey, James	296	Rosevere, William	
120	Luzier, Abraham	301	Rowley, H. C.	
166	Larrigan, Thos.	295	Reese, John D.	
282	Lloyd, Edward, Jr.	55	Smith, G. W.	
284	Loffard, Joseph	56	Shoff, Bigler	
9	McHenry, D. M.	59	Stone, M. W.	
16	Miles, S. W.	83	Stabband, Walter	
109	Maxton, A. P.	153	Sullivan, James	
125	McGuire, John, Sr.	188	Steele, Thomas	
142	Miller, Jeremiah	274	Strout, Joseph	
179	Mullaney, Thomas	107	Tate, John	
183	McMonigal, David	211	Tobin, Richard	
186	Morris, Hugh	255	Vlance, William	
197	Mobart, John	226	Waterson, Joseph	
202	McHugh, A. J.	94	Westover, Aaron	
232	McHugh, E. M.	196	Weeble, F. C.	
258	Magee, John	278	Watkins, James	
261	Maher, Edward	297	Whitehead, Robert	
277	Martin, Joseph	307	Williams, T. S.	

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GIRARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
16	Geo. W. Wilson,	70	Thomas Thompson,	9
29	Ephraim Wetzel,	73	Joseph Leigey,	
40	Jacob Shope,	86	Daniel Stover,	
62	Henry Rousey,	93	Moses Thompson,	
65	Emiel Rougeux,			

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 634 and 651.

GRAHAN TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

4	George C. Forcey,	52	John Enright,	15
10	Henry Hubler,	73	Daniel Collar,	
13	T. Hubler,	74	John Deanly,	
20	W. H. Lansbery,	94	M. B. Smeal,	
24	A. G. Herren,	105	L. H. Pace,	
25	James H. Humel,	113	Isaiah Smeal,	
30	W. M. Shemel,	122	Peter A. Lansbery,	
50	Henry Humel,			

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 712 and 665.

LOCK HAVEN—FIRST WARD. CLINTON COUNTY.

164	A. J. Brown,	107	Winslow Poorman,	18
309	Perry Bird,	385	J. H. Rodig,	
251	G. H. Caldwell,	27	Sigismund Simonds,	
271	John M. Fry,	215	Albert Sheid,	
263	Frank Herd,	252	Richard Shradt,	
261	P. Keller,	256	Gotlieb Smith,	
267	John Ordner,	332	Henry Smith,	
29	E. L. Paeker,	134	C. A. Wise,	
90	John Probst, Sr.,	211	Henry Yearick,	

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 900 and 855.

LOCK HAVEN—THIRD WARD. CLINTON COUNTY.

113	Thomas Crowley,	242	Peter Jacoby,	6
237	Martin Carey,	230	George McDermott,	
224	Adolph Gans,	77	W. A. Simpson, Jr.,	

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 905 and 858.

LOCK HAVEN—FOURTH WARD. CLINTON COUNTY.

285	Samuel Snyder,			1
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For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2537 and 2597.

BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

50	B. F. Bottorff,	124	H. C. Niles,	2
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For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 874 and 847.

BEECH CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

73	W. L. Miller,			1
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For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2525 and 2578.

CHAPMAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll List.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
146	Henry Donly,	90	Charles R. Miller,	14
28	Isaac Hurd,	37	Wm. Percing.	
36	V. J. Howard,	26	Samuel Shampane,	
144	Durell Johnson,	105	Rudolph Slifer,	
14	Jacob E. Kline,	120	George Snyder,	
99	William Keller,	121	Edward Smith,	
103	Fremont Kinley,	140	James Wendall,	

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2521 and 2582.

PINE CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

152	M. F. Cryder.	63	Robert Kissell,	8
32	Charles A. Fry,	172	Wm. A. Kissell,	
193	Albert Ferguson,	95	Nelson Rouck,	
153	Charles Henry,	39	Samuel M. Simmons,	

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2566 and 2579.

LEWISTOWN—EAST WARD. MIFFLIN COUNTY.

159	Clark, John C,	133	Smith, James W,	3
166	Yearick, David,			

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2919 and 2945.

LEWISTOWN—WEST WARD. MIFFLIN COUNTY.

83	Corbett, George,	170	McCook, George,	7
248	Dunkinson, Samuel,	177	Reese, Edward,	
39	Glazier, Wm. H,	160	Rodgers, Samuel,	
322	Miller, Scott,			

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2914 and 2942.

BRATTON TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

150	Kauffman, J. A,	130	Miller, B. J,	2
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For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2924 and 2948.

GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

252	Barclay, J. C,	96	Pennypacker, S. E,	
186	Crum, Simpson A.,	107	Shoemaker, John A,	
246	Crisswell, Thomas,	178	Steely, Jacob S,	

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2932 and 2952.

OLIVER TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

169	Allen, J. H,	158	Rhodes, J. K,	2
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For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2937 and 2954.

WAYNE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

173	Clemens, George,	86	Rhodes, Samuel T,	3
24	Harsbarger, Joseph,			

For poll and registry lists, see printed testimony pages 2928 and 2950.

BENZINGER TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

114	Frank Buckhite,	36	Michael Neubert,	8
323	Stephen Busk,	128	Valentine Neubert,	
33	Joseph Hahn,	54	Rev. Sigfried,	
155	Martin Johnson,	242	Herman Stockman,	

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FORTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

A. G. CURTIN

vs.

SETH H. YOCUM.

CONTESTED ELECTION FROM THE TWENTIETH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CONTESTEE'S BRIEF.

The principles of law applicable to this contest, and involved in this case, are for the most part so plain, simple and elementary, that it would be affectation on our part to cite authorities to maintain or support them.

We seek not to disguise any portion of the proof, by any extended argument of the law, but invoke the attention of the committee specially to the facts in evidence as showing how utterly groundless are the charges made by the Contestant, and further as demonstrating clearly that Contestee was elected by a majority more than double the official majority returned.

This conclusion will inevitably follow from a careful investigation of the entire testimony in the cause.

In every investigation of this character it is reasonably to be expected that those who are to sit in judgment upon the questions involved, representing directly as they do the people, will be governed rather by that broad common sense view of the case, which includes as well the real as the alleged reasons for the contest, than by any technical process which would seize upon some mere presumption antagonized by all the proof, or on some isolated fact, as the basis of judgment.

This case, tried by this reasonable rule or test, we have no fear as to the result. It will confirm the voice of the people as expressed at the polls on the 5th day of November, A. D., 1878, and officially embodied in the certificate issued to Seth H. Yocum, the sitting member.

What was the real cause of the defeat of the Contestant by the people at the late election? If there was a clear, obvious and decided reason why contestant could not succeed in the attempt before the people to secure a seat in Congress, it has much to do in explaining the reduced vote and majorities for Contestant in many of the election precincts in this congressional district.

It will be observed that the reasons assigned, in the notice of contest, are that in some way (not explained by him) there were so many frauds perpetrated upon him, and such combinations of fraud massed against him, that he failed to have a fair and legal mode of securing his election. This is, in this connection, worthy of note, that these alleged frauds did not affect any other candidate on the same ticket.

The election on the 5th of November, A.D. 1878, was a *State* election, in which the people of Pennsylvania were called upon to vote for a Governor; it was thus such an election as to bring out the full vote.

This congressional district is composed of six (6) counties. The majority for A. H. Dill, Democratic nominee for Governor, over Governor Hoyt, in the same district, was three thousand seven hundred and thirty-two (3732). A comparison of the vote for Governor with Contestant's vote for member of Congress, shows that many who voted for Dill refused to vote for Contestant. This will, of itself, show a division in the Democratic party as to the congressional nominee. There was also a Greenback candidate for Governor—Mr. Mason—who received a large vote in the same district. For Congress there were but two (2) nominees, namely, the sitting member, who was the regular nominee of the National-Greenback party, and who also received the entire vote of the Republican party—they having declined to make a nomination against him; while Contestant was the nominee of the Democratic party, which nomination caused a division in the party itself to such an extent that many Democrats declined to vote for him, and were active in opposition to him, and some of the leading Democratic organs in the district refused to announce his name as a candidate, or support him, while a large proportion of those who did vote for him, did so reluctantly.

The reason of this political division consisted in the fact that Contestant was not recognized as a Democrat by the masses of the party, whose candidate he was. *Hence the defeat and the reason of it.*

This important factor, standing, as it does, at the very threshold of this contest, and explanatory of its character and merits, is so well understood and universally known, and so much a part of the history of the contest itself, that any direct testimony to establish it would seem to be unnecessary; but if required, we refer to the tabulated statement of the official result in this district, and to the following pages of the printed testimony (page 580.)

What are the qualifications of an elector in Pennsylvania? They are found in Section I, Article 8, Constitution of 1873, as follows: "Every male citizen twenty-one (21) years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall vote at all elections.

"I. He shall be a citizen of the United States at least one month.

"II. He shall have resided in the State one year (or if having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned thereto six months) immediately preceding the election.

"III. He shall have resided in the election district, where he shall offer to vote, at least two months immediately preceding the election.

"IV. If twenty-two years of age or upwards he shall have paid, within two years, a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election."

The qualifications of electors under the Constitution of Pennsylvania are five in number, namely: 1st, Age. 2d, Citizenship of the United States for at least *one month*. 3d, State residence for at least *one year* immediately prior to the election; unless previously a qualified elector, then six (6) months. 4th, District residence for at least two months immediately prior to the election. 5th, Payment of taxes within two years, which shall have

been assessed two months, or more, and paid one month, or more, prior to the election.

As is stated by contestant in his brief, there will probably be no dispute as to the first three qualifications above named.

As to the 4th qualification, namely: *District residence*, we do not deny the construction contended for by contestant, that residence means domicile, and that if a man have his domicile in an election district for two months immediately prior to the election, he responds to this qualification; and if he has not, he then fails in one of the requisites of a legal voter.

Residence is a question of *intention*, and so defined by all authorities.

The material inquiry in any controverted case is, how is that *intention* to be shown? and among different kinds of proof, which proof is to be given the greatest weight? The *acts and conduct* of the party at the time it is alleged he gained or lost his residence, or his *testimony* as to what his intent at the time was. If the latter rule be adopted, then the voter, interested as he always is, in sustaining his vote when attacked, has it in his power upon a friendly cross-examination to establish his residence in the district where he voted; when upon the contrary every fact and circumstance connected with, or attending the removal from the old, or the acquisition of a new residence, contradict him.

We contend that the former test, that is, the acts and conduct of the party at the time, are of much more value, in determining the *fact*, than his testimony after he voted, and when his vote is attacked, as to his intent. See McDaniel's case, Brightly's Leading Cases on Elections, Page 246.

While residence is a question of intention, yet under the laws of Pennsylvania that residence, which is requisite to a voter, is defined to be, a *residence in pursuit of one's lawful calling*, or the place where he attends to his ordinary civil rights and duties, and this upon the principle, that there is the place where he is best known. (See Allentown Election Case, 8 Philadelphia Reports, Page 575). (Taylor vs. Redding, 4th Brewster, Page 439).

As to the *Fifth qualification*, the payment of a tax. That a payment of tax by the voter is requisite, is undisputed. The only *point in controversy* is as to *what amounts to payment*, within the meaning of the Constitution of Pennsylvania? It is conceded by contestant's argument, (Page 6), that payment may be made by an agent of the voter, provided the voter ratifies the act of the agent at least one month prior to the Election. To this latter proposition we do not assent. *We maintain that the voter may ratify the act of the agent in paying the tax at any time prior to his depositing his vote in the Ballot Box, even on the day of the Election.* And further, that the act of the voter in voting upon such payment of tax by another, knowing the same to have been paid, in the absence of other evidence impeaching the payment, is evidence of ratification of *payment of taxes by an agent subsequently ratified by the Elector*, is a *sufficient qualification*.

Dauphin County Election, 32 Legal Intelligencer, Page 59; Marshall vs. Baldwin, *ibid* 208.

And such has been the uniform decisions of the Courts of Philadelphia, upon cases in which this precise question was in issue.

In the registration of voters, the law requires a *personal* application to the Assessor by the voter; but in the Constitution requiring the payment of the tax, and the Registry act, exacting the provisions of the Constitution, it is nowhere required to be paid by the hand of the voter. If therefore the act be done, within the proper time, the spirit and policy of the law have been complied with. A minor, on arriving at *age*, may ratify a promise made during his minority, and the satisfaction relates back to the date of the promise. It thereupon becomes a promise binding in the law, upon the in-

dividual, not from the date of ratification, but from the date of the promise. What difference in principle can there be between such a case, and the question here presented?

This view is in accordance with the uniform practice of both parties, under our present Constitution. But if the law be, as to the payment of tax as claimed by contestant in his Brief, then it is worthy of remark that he is utterly regardless of this, *his own Rule*, in the abstract containing his list of voters which he admits were illegally cast for him, and his opponent, respectively: for in every case where the vote would be illegal under the Rule, and it is proven to have been cast for Contestee, he charges it as an illegal vote; but where the proof shows that such vote was cast for Contestant, in *every instance he counts it as a legal vote*.

We have but one further remark to make on this point the enforcement of this Rule as contended for by Contestant, will greatly increase the number of illegal votes shown to have been cast for him.

In Contestant's Brief (Page 7) it is conceded that a tax receipt is not conclusive, but only *prima facie* evidence of the payment, and where it is shown that the tax was paid, in fact within one month of the day of Election, or was never paid at all, and the Receipt *antedated*, that the Receipt is worthless. To this doctrine we most heartily subscribe. If the tax was not paid in *legal time*, the defect could not be cured by a receipt dated back. But if the tax were paid in legal time, the antedating of a receipt, so as to correspond with the actual day of payment, however improper the practice may be, could have no effect to destroy the right of the Elector to vote upon such payment of tax.

Under the operation of this Rule, suppose it should appear that an active partisan of a candidate should on the day before the Election go to the collector, with a list of names of voters, and pay or agree to pay their taxes, and on the same day, to-wit: the Fourth (4th) of November, 1878, obtain from the collector receipts for such persons, antedating them to the 3rd day of September, 1878, and then on the following day, at the Election, give each one of such persons a ticket for such candidate, and go with him to the Polls, and at the Polls hand the voter such antedated tax receipt, upon which the Election Officers received the vote; and suppose further, that after said election, (such candidate having been defeated) said partisan, in order to conceal his fraud, should go to the voters and request them to destroy the receipts, would such persons so voting be regarded as legal voters? *We think not*. We regard such a case as a fair illustration of the pernicious character of a practice of which contestant complains. For such a case, in the *interests of this Contestant*, we refer to the printed testimony relating to *Houtzdale Borough*, Clearfield county, (see Pages, 1642-1650-1632-1638-1820-1822-2191-2293-2294). See also the testimony of Benjamin Hartshorn, (Pages 1672-1674) and Albert McGeary, (Pages 1655-1658) and John T. Stage and others (Pages 2071-2072-2077 and 2085) relating to Curwensville Borough and Pike township, Clearfield county.

If the Rule be as stated by Contestant on page 8 of his Brief, that payment of the taxes of a large number of voters, by political committees, without the knowledge or consent of the voters, is not a good payment, then a very strong illustration of the evils flowing therefrom would be where a chairman of a County Committee would make such payment, out of the campaign funds, as was done by the chairman of the Democratic Committee of Clearfield county in the interest of Contestant, and perhaps with his approval, on the night of October 5th, 1878, by which operation the taxes of Thirty or more voters were paid, without their knowledge or consent, in many instances, and the receipts distributed to them on Election day;

which persons voted for Contestant and are counted as legal voters for him in his Brief. Reference in proof of this is made to printed testimony, (Pages 566-1623-1651-1697-581 and 3678) relating to Clearfield borough and Lawrence township, Clearfield county; also (Pages 2153-2155) relating to Bell township in said county.

It is scarcely necessary to state that under the Constitution it is not required that tax should be *assessed within the two years*—simply the payment must be made within the two years. See 2 Brewster, 138. But it is *absolutely necessary* that the tax be *assessed upon the individual himself*. Catlin vs. Smith, 2 S. & R. page 267.

It is charged by Contestant in his notice of contest, and argued in his brief, that the returns of certain election districts should be disregarded and the entire poll set aside, because he alleges,

1st, That the election officers were not qualified.

2d, That fraud was perpetrated in the conduct of the election.

3d, The existence of such irregularities or misconduct as to render the result uncertain.

We will consider these allegations in their order.

In a number of districts, (as many on the one side as on the other), the election officers were not properly sworn. We contend that such failure does not vitiate or affect the return, and that for this cause the returns cannot be set aside; and that the election officers are nevertheless officers *de facto*, and their acts are valid as to third parties and the public. It is sufficient if the officers have color of authority. The recent judicial decisions of Pennsylvania are all to this effect, and the acts of an officer *de facto* are as valid as those of an officer *de jure*. Stevenson vs. Lawrence, 5 Phila. R. 88; Boileau's case, 2 Page., 503; Baird vs. Bank, 11 S. & R., 414.

"In this latter case the court say if the officers of election fail to perform their duty the law provides a penalty, but the election is not therefore rendered void * * * The principle of colorable election holds not only as to the right of electing, but also of being elected." Juker vs. Comth., 8 Harris 485; Thompson vs. Ewing 1 Brewst. 99. The decisions of other States are to the same effect. Milliken vs. Fuller, 1 Bartlett (N. Y.) 176. Clark vs. Hall, Ibid 215. Flander vs. Hahn, Ibid 443. Blair vs. Barrett, Ibid 313.

This question was reviewed at length in the case of Barnes vs. Adams, which arose in the Forty-First Congress, reported in 2 Bartlett (N.Y.) 760. Most of the cases arising both in Congress and in the courts, were cited and examined and the conclusion was reached both by the Committee and the House, that in order to give validity to the official acts of an officer of elections, so far as they affect third parties and the public in the absence of fraud, it is only necessary that such officer shall have the color of authority. The report of the Committee in this case was adopted by the House after full discussion in July, 1870. See Congressional Globe, pages 5179 to 5193.

The same question was decided in Eggleston vs. Strader, 2 Bartlett (N. Y.) 897.

In People vs. Cook 4 Selden (N. Y.) it is held as follows: "*The doctrine that whole communities of electors may be disfranchised for the time being, and a minority candidate forced into an office because one or more of the judges of elections have not been duly sworn, or were not duly chosen, finds no support in the decisions of our judicial tribunals.*"

See also McCrary's American Law of Elections, Sections 77-78 and 79.

As to the other specifications of irregularities on the part of the election officers, the evidence *utterly fails in any particular* to point out a single fraudulent act of any officer. Slight errors of judgment may occur, and no

doubt will hereafter occur ; but that there was any attempt by any election board in this congressional district to do an act contrary to law, or to influence the election by improper conduct, or to assist, combine, conspire, or act with any partisan, in the interest of Contestee, or in any manner to prevent, alter, or change the free ballot of the people, or to falsify the result of the election, or in any way or manner, to control the electors or influence their judgment, or knowingly or willingly receive the vote of any one, not legally entitled to vote, or refuse to receive the vote of any one legally entitled, we utterly deny ; and in this investigation and upon this point we invite the closest scrutiny into the conduct of the several Election Boards impeached.

The evidence is full of the testimony of the election officers, called by both sides, in this contest, and in no single instance is there anything shown affecting the honor, honesty, motive or purpose of any officer; while upon the contrary it is clearly and fully shown that each and all acted *bona fide*, and with perfect fairness, indifferent as to the result. This is the first contest that has ever arisen in this district.

The character of the people composing the district is such that of itself would repel the charge of fraud in this election.

Almost the entire population is devoted to agriculture. In scarcely any one of the counties can there be said to be even a floating vote.

The vast majority of the people of this district are natives of the district. They are "to the manor born." They are educated to labor, and not to practices of fraud, as charged by Contestant. In addition to this, the organizations of the large majority of the election boards were in the hands and under the control of the partisans of Contestant, and have been for many years under the control of the Democratic party.

Five counties out of the six are, and always have been, Democratic ; each one of these five counties gave Contestant majorities, and but one (Union) gave Contestee a majority. It is worthy of notice that in the county of Union there is not, in the notice of contest, a single charge of fraud or fraudulent conduct on behalf of the election boards, or any of them, or any irregularity in the election. It will be further noticed in the testimony that Contestant, during the forty days allowed him to take testimony, failed to prove a single fraudulent or illegal vote, although the county was searched *with diligence* from one end to the other. *Not a single illegal vote for any cause !*

And yet in view of this fact contestant in his brief admits ten illegal votes for himself !

We propose now to notice the charges as to these several election districts in detail, and we will state the substance of the testimony in reference thereto, as proven both by contestant and contestee.

FIRST—*As to Philipsburg borough, Centre county :*

It is alleged by Contestant that overseers were appointed according to law, but were not permitted to act ; that the election officers did not check off the names of voters from the registry list, as they voted, and that a large number of persons were permitted to vote who were not qualified, &c.

These overseers were J. J. Lingle and Albert Owen—*both partisans of Contestant and life-long Democrats.* They both swear that they were not disturbed in the performance of their duties ; that they remained at the polls with the election officers during the entire day, and "*were treated with the utmost courtesy.*"

But in law they were not overseers ; they were in fact partisan intruders of Contestant. The act of Assembly, approved January 31, 1874, Ph. L. 33, Section 4, under which they claimed to be appointed, provides that upon the petition of five or more citizens, it shall be the duty of the Court of

Common Pleas of the proper county, *all the law judges able to act at the time concurring*, to appoint *two judicious citizens belonging to different political parties*, overseers of election to *supervise the proceedings of the election officers of said district*.

In this case, at the time of appointment, there *was no court in session*, as is shown by the evidence; they were appointed at Chambers by one of the judges, in the absence of the *President Judge*, who had no notice of the application, and who did not concur therein; they were also known to be *partisans of Contestant*, and both of the *same political party*. This appointment was void in law, because there was no authority given in the Act to a single judge to appoint *at Chambers*; and also in the persons appointed, being both of the same political party. Yet it subverted the end had in view in the appointment—to *keep the outside partisans of Contestant continually advised of the progress of the vote, and the success of their favorite candidate*.

It has been a source of regret to the *overseers*, even to this day, that they were not interfered with at the polls, or obstructed in the discharge of their very onerous duties. The commissioners failed to furnish a proper registry of the voters, and this cast a greater burden upon the election officers, in seeing that no one was permitted to vote who was not entitled. The officers were duly sworn and the election conducted with the greatest care; the ballots were all numbered and no one was permitted to vote who did not first prove his qualifications as an elector. This is the testimony of the entire board. It simply shows how groundless is the charge, and how untruthful in every particular.

SECOND—*Benner township.*

The allegations against this district are :

1st, The officers were not sworn.

2d, The ballot-box was stuffed.

3d, No affidavits returned.

4th, That certain officers on the 18th of February, 1879, (over three months after the election) pilfered the ballot-box !!

The township of Benner, adjoins the borough of Bellefonte, and by law the voters thereof hold their elections in the Court House, in Bellefonte.

It is composed entirely of farmers and mechanics—life long residents of the township. There is not a single transient voter in the district, and on the day of the election, there was not a single elector voted who was not personally known to some member of the Election Board. Through an inadvertence, the officers were not sworn. Contestant called the officers as witnesses, and they were recalled by Contestee. The testimony of each member of the Board is, that they were extremely careful, and that they believe not a single illegal vote was cast; that they numbered *every ballot received*, called out the name of the voter, and checked off his name on the registry list; that everything during the election was regular and no disturbance of any kind occurred during the entire day. After the election had closed, in counting off the vote, about midnight, some one of the officers discovered, when they were about half way through with the count, an unnumbered ticket in the box; during the remainder of the count, eight more were discovered; *these nine tickets* were taken charge of by one of the officers, and carefully kept in his possession, until compelled to produce them under a *subpoena duces tecum*.

The testimony of the officers was taken by contestant prior to the 18th day of February, 1879, the day of holding the spring elections, when according to law, the boxes are to be opened and the contents destroyed. The officers had severally sworn that they thought they had not counted a single

unnumbered ticket, although their attention had not been specially called to it, until after the first one unnumbered had been discovered.

The list of voters in evidences showed that 219 persons had voted for member of congress, while the *tally list* showed that 227 votes were counted for member of congress; 107 for Contestant, and 120 for Contestee, making a discrepancy of eight votes.

This was discovered during the time of taking Contestants testimony, and before the holding of the spring elections. The Contestant, for reasons, no doubt satisfactory to himself and his legal advisers, took no steps to ascertain the cause of this discrepancy.

The inspectors, who had *sworn* that they had not, as far as they knew, counted any unnumbered tickets, were anxious to know whether any had in fact been counted.

It was the duty of the same officers who had held the fall election to open the ballot-box and hold the spring election; when they opened the box on the morning of the 18th of February, 1879, which was done publicly in the election room, they took out the string of ballots therein contained, and preserved the same until they could ascertain whether any unnumbered tickets had been counted, and to their surprise they found eight *unnumbered tickets on the string, which they all swear were fraudulent tickets, and every one of them was for A. G. Curtin, the contestant.*

"Further comment might be unnecessary" as to who stuffed the box.

The officers swear that they did not receive these tickets at the window.

This discovery was made by the inspectors in opening the box, and without the knowledge of Contestee or his counsel. As soon, however, as it was known, Contestee had the officers subpoenaed to bring not only the ballots contained in the ballot-box, but the nine unnumbered tickets which had been taken during the count on the night of the election.

The officers obeyed the subpoena and produced the ballots and the nine unnumbered tickets, *and these nine unnumbered tickets were also found to be fraudulent tickets for contestant.*

The contents of the ballot-box were produced by the inspectors before the commissioner taking the testimony, and in his presence, and the presence of the counsel for Contestant, the inspectors examined them carefully and compared them, and identified their own handwriting on each ballot, and thus not only proved the *genuineness* of the ballots themselves, but also proved the very important fact that eight fraudulent votes were counted for Contestant—*showing conclusively and beyond question* that Contestant had but 99 votes, instead of 107, while the official return made by the election officers of 120 votes for Contestee was fully confirmed and verified by the ballots produced, and sworn to by the officers of the board. It also further demonstrated the fact that the person, whoever he was, that had made an effort to tamper with this district did it in the *interest of Contestant*; and the law will scarcely tolerate the idea that Contestant can take advantage of anything done by his partisans to further his own interests. Contestee, to show the correctness and regularity of the election in Benner, not only offered in evidence the ballots, but also called the voters themselves, and though some of them were absent from home, succeeded in proving that one hundred and nineteen qualified electors in Benner township voted for him on the 5th day of November, 1878.

This evidence on behalf of Contestee, was most vigorously objected to, and resisted by Contestant's counsel, when they discovered that a full investigation of the case would show clearly and distinctly the *bald fact* that no fraud had been perpetrated by the election officers, nor by any one in the interest of Contestee, while it would bring home with equal clearness the sol-

can fact, that fraudulent votes—eight in number—had been counted and returned for Contestant, and that his partisans had been endeavoring to corrupt the return.

The highest evidence, of which the case in its nature is susceptible, should always be produced, is a cardinal rule of evidence, and yet Contestant, well knowing that the contents of the ballot box in this district would surely and fully prove or disprove his allegations, *took not a single step to preserve them!* although he knew that before the time arrived when Contestee could begin the taking of his testimony the boxes would be opened and the contents destroyed.

When this was perceived by Contestee he presented his own petition to the courts of Clearfield and Centre counties, praying the court under the laws of our State, in relation to like contests, to grant an order on the several election officers in the districts where the returns were attacked by Contestant in his notice of contest, to preserve the contents of the ballot boxes, so that they might be produced in evidence before the Commissioner.

This application was resisted by counsel in the interest of Contestant, and the court thereupon refused making the decree, as will be seen by reference to the printed testimony.

This resistance to the preservation of the ballot boxes was made after the testimony in many cases developed the fact that the election officers had inadvertently placed in the boxes, and sealed up the same, certain important election papers, to wit: lists of voters, affidavits of non-registered voters and registries; some of which they should have returned and filed with the Prothonotary. The assertion therefore by counsel in their Brief, that Contestee suppressed evidence is unworthy of further notice.

The investigation of Benner township, however, revealed the fact that Contestee had received one hundred and twenty votes and Contestant but ninety-nine, and the majority for Contestee should have been twenty-one instead of thirteen, as the official returns made it.

THIRD.—*College township, Centre county, :*

The allegations are:

- 1st. The election board returned no list of voters.
- 2d. Disregarded many important requirements of the law.
- 3d. Members of the board took from the ballot box the lists of voters and placed them in the hands of Contestee's counsel by whom they were suppressed.

The evidence taken by Contestant and Contestee shows that the officers were sworn, and it further shows that all the important and material requirements of the law were observed.

That the list of voters was placed in the ballot box and, although bitterly opposed by counsel for Contestant, was offered in evidence by Contestee. Counsel seem to forget that any effort to suppress evidence and exclude the light which could have been obtained by a preservation of the ballot boxes were made by them as representing Contestant.

The officers of College township produced the list of voters and ballots taken out of the box on the 18th of February, 1879, in obedience to a subpoena *duces tecum* and these were put in evidence, against the protest of Contestant.

In every instance where the evidence disclosed facts contradicting the allegations, objections were made by Contestant. The ballots themselves in this district contained the name of Seth H. Yocum, for Congress, thus explaining the error of one of the clerks, who wrote his name Seth A. Yocum. It was to explain this alone that the ballots were offered, and even this was met by objections from Contestant.

It might very properly in this connection be asked, how any act occurring on the 18th of February, 1879—over three months after the election—could be construed into fraud in the election held on the 5th of November, 1878? *Any earnest endeavor after truth would have found a more fitting exhibition in an attempt to preserve the contents of the ballot-boxes than in the persistent determination and desire to have them destroyed.* Not a single allegation is sustained, and the evidence disclosed an election in College township held as carefully and as honestly, and with as strict an observance of the requirements of the law, as can be found in the entire commonwealth.

FOURTH—*As to Liberty, Spring and Union townships, Centre county.*

In none of these election districts is there any irregularity shown, and none is alleged in the notice of contest, and we therefore dismiss these without further reply. An allegation of counsel, without any charge or proof, in the notice of contest or the evidence, is only calculated and intended to mislead.

FIFTH—*Ferguson township, Centre county.*

In this election district not the slightest irregularity was shown of any kind, notwithstanding the reckless and untruthful charges contained in the notice of contest. The testimony shows that the officers were duly qualified; that the election was conducted in a peaceable and quiet manner; that all the material requirements of the law were observed. The evidence is barren of every fact alleged in notice, and it is, therefore, abandoned by counsel for Contestant in the argument, and the only error they now allege is that *there was no registry of voters as required by law.* This is a little singular, in view of the fact that their own witness—Henry Beck, clerk of the commissioners—whose duty it was to furnish a registry list, swears distinctly that he made out a registry list and sent it to the assessor of the district, and for some cause, Contestant makes no effort to produce the list or offer it in evidence. Having shown the existence of a registry, how can Contestant allege anything against this district without attempting to produce the only proper evidence, and which was in his power to produce? It simply illustrates the fact that Contestant had no ground upon which to impeach this poll.

SEVENTH—*Woodward township, Clearfield county.*

The charges here are:

- 1—The election board were not sworn according to law.
- 2—They did not use nor check off registry list as the voters voted.
- 3—They did not require unregistered persons to make proof of residence.
- 4—They disregarded the challenges of non-registered persons.
- 5—The clerk of the board wilfully was permitted to administer but part of the oath as to payment of tax, and disregarded the challenges in this matter.
- 6—They did not require the production of certificates of naturalization as required by law.
- 7—One of the inspectors knowingly voted on a fraudulent tax receipt, and the other permitted his son to do so.
- 8—The board allowed *all* persons, who had 1876 tax receipts, to vote.
- 9—They permitted seventy or more persons, whose names did not appear on the registry, to vote, and did not take a single affidavit required by law, although the blanks for that purpose were furnished them.
- 10—They disregarded the challenges of non-naturalized persons, and left the ballot-box unsecured at the election house for ten (10) days after the election.

1—As to the first charge, relating to the mode in which the board was sworn, the evidence is (page 505) that the justice swore the judge, and the judge swore the rest of the board. It will scarcely be contended that such an irregularity could affect the return of election; neither will the Contestant agree that the returns from Wallaceeton borough and Morris township, where all the officers were sworn by a justice of the peace, or those from Chest township, where the record shows they were not sworn at all, shall be disregarded; for in all these districts, in the same county, he received large majorities.

2—That no registry was used by the board, nor names checked from it as voted, is an allegation not sustained by the testimony, and is distinctly disproved by George W. Quinn, the Democratic judge, (page 1874), who himself kept the registry list, and in every instance referred to it, except where he knew the voter's name was thereon.

3 and 9—The third charge, that no proof of district residence was required of non-registered voters, is contradicted by Contestant's witness, John Sandroek, one of the Inspectors, (pages 506-508), and by George Quinn, Judge, (pages 1874-1875) called by Contestee. And the ninth charge, that no affidavits in writing were taken from such voters, is disproved by Mr. Quinn, (page 1873) who states distinctly that such affidavits were taken and deposited in the ballot box, instead of forwarding them with the returns to Clearfield, as was done in many other districts. While this is the condition of proof, as to what was required of non-registered voters, in that district, and is uncontradicted, except by negative proof, in the following districts, in the same county, which gave majorities for Contestant, no affidavits of non-registered voters were returned, to-wit: Clearfield, Newburg, Osceola and Wallaceeton boroughs. Bell, Bloom, Boggs, Chest, Ferguson, Jordon, Lawrence, Morris, Penn and Pike townships, (see pages 1601-1602 and exhibits); of these, in Chest, (page 3674), Jordon, (page 2167), and Morris, (page 2178), there is affirmative proof that no affidavits in writing were taken from such voters, and in Bell, (pages 3511-3512-3518 and 3653), and Pike, (pages 3510-3516) townships, the unregistered voters themselves were called for the purpose of qualification, and testify that no proof whatever was required of them by the board, yet the Contestant would be unwilling to have the returns from these districts taken from this count.

In order to preserve the contents of the ballot boxes, and thereby relieve this case from any dispute as to what papers were required, or taken, and deposited by the board, an application was made by Contestee on January 25th, 1879, to the court of Clearfield county, asking for an order to preserve the contents of the ballot boxes. This application was opposed by Contestant's counsel, it being urged by them that it would be *too expensive to provide new ballot boxes*, (page 1603). The result was that no such order was made, and the contents of the boxes were destroyed, at the next township election on February 18th, 1879. While this course was pursued by Contestee's counsel, the Contestant's counsel took a more direct route. Having begun the investigation and learned that the ballot box of Woodward district was at the same place and in the same custody it had been at all previous elections, and where so far as any testimony indicates it was wholly free from tampering, they directed that it be placed in different custody, (pages 516 and 1869). Accordingly a Justice of the Peace, who had no more right to the custody of that ballot box than any other citizen of the county, (page 2250), obtained possession of it, and by direction examined its contents. He performed this delicate office secretly and privately upon two or three occasions. He wanted to see if certain persons, whose names had been handed him, by the

Democratic constable, Higgins, had voted. He also wanted to see if there were affidavits of non-registered voters.

Having satisfied himself upon these essentials, he then directed his attention to the individual ballots, to discover how some of his neighbors had voted, (pages 518-519). He states that he did not open all the divisions of the box, nor inspect all their contents, and yet his testimony, if referred to at all, will be relied on to prove that no affidavits of non-registered voters were deposited by the board, in the ballot box.

A similar direct route to the ballot box was pursued in Knox township, in the same county, where Contestant received a large majority. Two (2) Democrats went to the house of the officer, in whose custody the box was, during his absence, and by assuring his wife that they had orders to examine the box, they obtained access to it and overhauled its contents, comparing the result of the count with a list of names, in a book, brought with them, which names were in a handwriting different from their own, (pages 1691-1694-2225 and 2228). These are the only well established instances of any one improperly touching the ballot box in the county, and in both instances the work was done by Contestant's friends. The testimony of all the officers of the board show that the third charge and the ninth charge are not sustained.

4 and 10—That challenges of non-registered and unnaturalized voters, were disregarded, is not sustained by any proof. William Luther, who obtained and examined the ballot box, in the mode just stated, says [page 512]: "I objected to a number of persons on the ground that their names did not appear on the registry list. The election board held, that the parties had a right to vote on account of us having no assessor in the township to register them. They did not require them to sign written affidavits, and produce affidavits by other qualified electors." The challenge here was not for any specific cause, other than non-registration. Whether the board required proof, other than by written affidavits, is not asked the witness, nor stated by him. No witness swears he challenged a single voter for any cause upon which his vote could legally be excluded, and the board disregarded his challenge. This dearth of proof, on so important a charge, is significant. Put alongside of this, the testimony of the Inspector, John Sandrock, Contestant's own witness, [page 506]: "We required of them, first that they were either native-born "or naturalized citizens of the United States, and that they had been in the "State over one year, and six (6) months in the county, and thirty (sixty) "days in the township, and that they had paid a State and County tax "within two years and not later than thirty days previous to the election, "and [page 508]. Question. Was any person permitted to vote at that "election, whose right to do so was challenged without being required to "produce legal proof of his right to vote? Answer. No sir, there were "not. Question. When a naturalized person claimed the right to vote, "and his citizenship was called in question, was he required to produce his "papers, or make such other proof as the law requires? Answer. These "were called to produce their papers, and give such proof as the law requires."

5—That the clerk of the board was permitted to omit part of the oath, as to payment of tax, in qualifying voters. Luther swears to the fact that some of the voters were only asked if they had paid tax within two (2) years. That such omission was wilful, even *he* does not pretend. But as to the fact of such omission he is contradicted by Contestant's other witness, whose language has just been referred to, and who had better opportunity for knowledge of the fact, and has exhibited no bias, one way or the other, and is corroborated by David Westover, the other inspector, [page 510], and by George Quinn, the judge, [page 1873.]

6—The sixth charge alleges the board did not require production of naturalization certificates, save in a few instances. The testimony of all the members of the board is, that all persons who had voted less than five years on naturalization papers, were required to produce them, except in those cases where the board, or some of its members, had seen the papers of the voter at former elections, and knew he was qualified [pages 506, 508, and 510 and 1873.] While this was not a strict compliance with the terms of the law, it was doubtless as full compliance as the board honestly believed was required. That many of the papers were exhibited to the board, is evident from the number which incidentally appears by the testimony taken in proving votes in this district to have been endorsed by the board, although it is not probable that near all which were produced were so endorsed. It appears that the papers of the following voters were endorsed, "*Voted at Woodward, November 5, 1878,*" to wit:

Joseph Reese, page 511.

Whitfield Eddy, page 1785.

John Thomas, page 1853.

Joseph Wilkinson, page 1879.

Philip Renard, page 1886.

Thomas Steel, page 2271.

Jacob Campbell, page 3536.

Thomas Larigau, page 3541.

Michael Kelly, page 3418.

Solomon Longstader, page 3451.

The first six of these voted for Contestee, and the last four for Contestant, which proportion indicates that no discrimination was made against Contestant in this requirement of voters. Besides the proof furnished by the endorsement on these papers, nearly every voter who was asked the question, testified that he was required to make proof of his right to vote, when that right was questioned or his name not on the registry.

7—That one of the inspectors knowingly voted on a fraudulent tax receipt, and the other permitted his son to do so. Neither charge is sustained by the proof. Sandrock, inspector, [pages 507, 508], paid his tax in good faith about sixty days before the election to another party who agreed to pay the collector, but failed to do so until less than thirty days before the election. While he loses his vote, the Contestant's own proof shows that he had no knowledge of the actual date of payment to the collector, nor of the *antdating* of the tax receipt, and that when he voted he honestly believed he was a legal voter. If the fact of his being an illegal voter affects the return, then the return of Bell township, in the same county, which gave Contestant a majority, is effected in the same way, for one of the inspectors, William O'Dell [page 2150], was an illegal voter by non-payment of tax. The objection to the other inspector—David Westover—assumes, without proof, that he knew his son—Aaron Westover—was above twenty-two [22] years of age, and knew he had not paid tax in legal time, and knowingly permitted him, illegally, to vote. These things cannot be taken as truth, without some kind of proof, and there is none. It is not even attempted to show that his attention was in any way directed, by challenge or otherwise, to his son's vote, and the testimony of the son is, [page 525] that his father knew nothing about when his taxes were paid.

8—That all persons were allowed to vote who had 1876 tax receipts; if by this is meant that all persons whose tax receipts were dated in 1876, prior to November 5th of that year, then there is no proof of any such allegation. At most it amounts to an attempt, by putting words in the mouth of a wit-

ness, to confound the cases of receipts dated in the latter part of that year, with those over two years old in date.

10—That the board failed to deposit the ballot-box in the proper custody. The proof is that the clerk, who was the justice of the peace residing nearest the election house, proposed to take charge of the box, and George Quinn—the Democratic judge—insisted that it remain at the election house, for the reason that such had always been the custom at other elections [pages 1874 and 2251.] There is no proof whatever that the ballot-box was touched, or its contents in any way disturbed, during those ten days nor until it was improperly seized and clandestinely examined by a partisan of Contestant. That the failure to deposit the box in the proper custody can affect the return, will scarcely be contended. If so, then the returns of Knox township, [page 2225 and 1691], and Morris township [page 2173 and 1749], in the same county, which gave majorities for Contestant, are effected to the same extent. The testimony of the members of the election board of Woodward is that the box was properly secured when it left their hands. The testimony of Joseph G. Higgins, who next received it, is that all the divisions of the box except one were closed carefully; whether they were sealed or not he cannot say, and in this he contradicts Luther, the final depository of the box. But the testimony shows that it was quite as well secured as were the boxes in Chest, Knox and Morris townships, in the same county, with which no fault will be found by Contestant.

EIGHTH—*Houtzdale borough, Clearfield county.*

The allegations relating to this district are:

First—That the board was illegally organized, and a legal organization prevented by confusion and a tumultuous assemblage, and in consequence the polls not opened for more than an hour after the time fixed by law.

Second—That the board did not number the ballots.

Third—That they did not check off the registry list.

Fourth—That they did not require affidavits and proof of residence from non-registered voters.

Fifth—That they did not require the production of naturalization papers from foreign-born citizens.

1—The facts proven as to the first charge—the organization of the board—are: The officers elected were Sharbaugh, (Democrat), Judge. McDermott, (Greenback) and Charleton (Republican), Inspectors. On the morning of the election, both Sharbaugh, the Judge, and Charleton, the Inspector, were absent, and McDermott, the other Inspector, alone being present, appointed Dennis White, (who was of the same political faith as himself), Judge.

The complexion of the board, caused dissatisfaction among those who were opposed to the Greenback party, and some dispute arose. The principal actor in this disturbance was a Democratic Justice of Houtzdale, who was an active partisan of Contestant, and who had distinguished himself on the day before by *ante dating* tax receipts, and on that day by distributing them with tickets for Contestant, and subsequently by advising the voters to destroy such receipts, and to whom we have already referred. He alone is shown to have used violent, or threatening, language.

Because of this dissatisfaction the newly appointed Judge did not wish to act, and after a delay of an hour J. S. Moore, (Republican), was selected by the persons present to fill the vacancy in the office of Judge. The absent Inspector's place was filled by Robert McNamara, (Democrat), he having at the preceding borough election received the next highest number of votes for Judge, which fact entitled him, under the law, to the place of the absent Inspector, (page 536-539-1877 and 1878). The law provides that where a vacancy in the board continues for one hour, the voters present

are entitled to select a person to fill it. There being no steps taken by Dennis White to fill the duties of his appointment and no organization of the board, we submit that the selection of Moore, as Judge, was proper and legal, and that both vacancies were filled as the law provides. If the law were otherwise the Democratic Justice and his crowd might have wholly prevented an election. But even if the organization of the board was not strictly regular, in the absence of fraud or unfairness practiced by its officers, there was at most an honest mistake, and that made to avoid the imputation of unfairness, and at the instance of Contestant's warmest friends. A like case occurred in Decatur township, in the same county, where the board appearing all to be of one party, the Judge at the request of Contestant's supporters appointed that one of their number, who at the preceding election, had received the next highest number of votes for Judge, as Inspector, instead of the regularly elected Inspector, (page 572), and no such irregularity has ever been held to effect the return. A much stronger case against the validity of a board, is that in Bell township, the same county, where Contestant received a majority, and where an unsworn supporter of Contestant took the place of the Republican inspector, who was called away, after the polls had opened, and proceeded to attend to the duties of inspector during the balance of the day, although the returns were afterwards signed and certified by the absent inspector, who could have no knowledge of their correctness.

2—The omission to number the ballots was an oversight which is fully explained by the testimony of the members of the board, and in any event could have no greater effect on this district than the same kind of omission would have on the returns from Jordan township, in the same county, which gave Contestant a majority [page 2167.]

3—That the board did not check off the registry list, is not sustained by the proof, and is contradicted by the Democratic inspector [page 1859], and no such strange result appears as in Brady township, in the same county, where Contestant had a majority, and where the registry list was checked and ballots numbered; and yet the names of D. D. McHugh—who was not in that county on election day [page 533], and of Frederick Knorr, who was in the district, but was not at the election at all that day [pages 1769 and 2115]—both appear on the list of voters numbered respectively 458 and 106; while the name of F. B. Williams does not appear on that list, although he swears positively [page 1653] that he voted in that district at that election.

4—That affidavits were not required of non-registered voters. This allegation is shown not to be correct by Contestant's own witness [page 530], and it appears by that witness, corroborated by another witness [page 1859] called by Contestee, both of them officers of the board, that such affidavits were required and deposited in the ballot-box, where they remained until the borough election of February 18th, 1879, when they were destroyed.

5—That foreign-born voters were not required to produce their naturalization certificates. This is contradicted by the proof [pages 528 and 1859]; upon the several charges against this district, we respectfully invite attention to the testimony in full of James S. Moore, judge of election, [pages 527-531], and P. McDermott, inspector, [pages 535-539], which is relied on by Contestant, and also to the testimony of Dennis White [pages 1877-1879], and Robert McNamara, a Democratic inspector, [pages 1858-1860]. This testimony, taken together, establishes that the election was fairly and honestly conducted, and wholly disproves any allegation of unfairness or fraud. To this may be added that it is rather significant that in this district, so complained of, Contestant admits [page 32 of his Brief] that out of eleven (11)

proven illegal votes, eight (8) of them were cast for him. The true count of illegal votes shows that he received a still larger benefit from whatever wrong was done in this district.

We confidently submit that there is no ground whatever upon which the returns from either of these districts—Woodward or Houtzdale—can be rejected. In view of the strained attempt by Contestant to impeach the conduct of the election officers as fraudulent and unfair, and the undue advantage which was obtained by successfully opposing Contestee's application for the preservation of the contents of the ballot-boxes, while he obtained access to that one in reference to which he raises the dispute as to what it contained, it is singular that so little has been developed in support of the charges made, and that the only material part of that little comes from those who were actively engaged in working up Contestant's case. The Democratic judge of the election board of Woodward was the most experienced member of that board, having before that time frequently held positions on election boards. The Democratic inspector of Houtzdale was the oldest and perhaps the best informed member of that board. Both these men swear they voted for Contestant, but there is nothing to show an undue bias for him on their part, either at or since the election. They were both called as witnesses by Contestant, but not a question touching the conduct of the election by his counsel. They were both called by Contestee, and their testimony shows the entire fairness and freedom from bias with which the elections were conducted. While we did not apprehend that a careful examination of the evidence could result in any action by the committee which would disregard the returns from these districts, the Contestee has called a large number of voters in each of them and proven their qualifications. We elsewhere in this Brief state fully the reasons why such proof of votes cast for Contestee cannot in any event be set off by like proof of votes for Contestant offered in rebuttal. When the Contestant asks that a return be disregarded, and makes his attack upon the poll of a district and goes no farther by his case-in-chief, he cannot in rebuttal prove votes for himself. He may contradict or rebut the proof offered by his opponent, but he cannot then make out a part of his case-in-chief. If there is any case in which the rule as to what is evidence-in-chief and what in rebuttal should be strictly applied, it is in a case like the present, where each party is limited in time and in character of proof by a statute which gives the defense no opportunity to answer what is offered in rebuttal.

NINTH—*West Keating township, Clinton county.*

The allegation here is, (in Contestant's Brief,) there was no registry list, as required by law.

Referring to the notice of contest, page 24, section 58, we find that there is no irregularity alleged against this district; we might, therefore, dispense with any discussion upon this subject, but we desire to refer the committee to the testimony, for the purpose of showing how baseless in law and in fact is this allegation.

Suppose, however, for the sake of the argument, that the County Commissioners fail to furnish a registry of voters to the election board, does that vitiate the election? Are honest voters to be disfranchised because some indolent clerk neglects his official duty? If this be so, then the party in power would always have the opportunity of defeating the will of the people, by withholding some election paper. Suppose no *election papers* are sent to the officers, are they to adjourn and go home, without holding the election? The voter surely is not to be deprived of his political rights by subterfuges so silly and absurd.

TENTH—*Union township, Mifflin county.*

As to this election district no allegation of any irregularity is found in notice of contest. See page 28, Sect. 78.

In Contestant's Brief it is said that there was no registry list of voters.

Contestant in this township only puts in evidence the sixty day list *and not the full registry*, (see printed testimony, page 1122).

Miles Hatley, the assessor, swears that he made the assessment and registry of voters and returned the same to the county Commissioners (see page 2897). Judge Campbell, who was the judge in holding the election in this District, and who has resided in the township for sixty years, swears that he knew of no illegal vote, *except Charles McCab, who voted for Contestant*; he further swears that they had a registry list *before them, and the names were all checked off*, (see testimony, pages 2892, 2893 and 2894). And yet Contestant prints the names of the voters in this township in a list of two hundred and fifty three names and mildly terms them non-registered voters and therefore fraudulent! If this registry list has been mislaid, it was not the fault of Contestee, who made every effort to preserve the ballot boxes, in which the *original* used by the officers was *deposited*, and which if preserved would have shown that there was not a single non-registered voter in this district.

ELEVENTH—*Old Armagh township, Mifflin county.*

There is no allegation of irregularity contained in notice of Contestant as to this district, (see notice of contest, page 27, section 71).

Contestant offered in evidence for this township the sixty day list, and not the registry of voters, (see testimony page 1121). *While the very registry of voters that was used by the election board, and which they declined to offer was within their control.* This registry was offered in evidence by Contestee, (see printed testimony, exhibit E. C, 14, page 2956).

James D. Forey and Adam A. Brown swear that this list was used by the election officers on the 5th of Nov., 1878, and was furnished by the proper authorities, and it bears on its face the evidence of being used by the board, in the additions of "tax" and "age."

An examination of this registry list, when compared with the list of voters, will show that there are but three names on the poll list, which do not appear under the same initials on the registry list—namely, No. 6, James Davis, No. 215, W. E. Stringfellow and No. 148, Lawrence Wall.

How little dependance can be placed upon a calculation, under this evidence, that would claim two hundred and thirty-one non-registered voters in this township, composed of old settlers and farmers! And yet Contestant is driven to this extremity.

TWELFTH—*White Deer township, Union county.*

As to this election district there is no allegation of fraud or other irregularity in notice of contest, (see notice of contest, page 30, section 90).

It is claimed that a resolution was *passed by the election board that they would not require any affidavits, &c., from the voters.*

We deny that any such resolution was passed as stated in Contestant's Brief. An attempt was made to put such words in the mouth of the witness whom contestant called, but the witness states no such resolution. The majority inspector swears, (see his testimony on page 2996-2997), that after dinner an understanding was had, that they would swear the voters, and this, because any other method would have prevented a large number of legal voters from voting—a calculation will show, that from eleven o'clock a. m., till 7 o'clock p. m., the average of the voting was about one a minute, so that some method of convenience had to be adopted, so as to receive the vote. There were four hundred and thirteen votes cast at this poll, and the voting did not begin till

about ten or eleven o'clock. Is it proven in the evidence that there was a single illegal vote cast for Contestee? was there a single vote challenged by Contestant? He has shown none. The evidence flatly contradicts any such allegations.

Had there been illegal voters in this township, the Contestant would have found them, and called them as witnesses; for the utmost zeal was displayed in the search of a single fraudulent voter in the whole county of Union, and not a single one could be found!

A comparison of the list of voters with the registry list offered in evidence, (see pages 1230 and 1234), *shows but twelve persons, whose names do not appear on the registry list as they are written on the poll list.* Hence it is requisite to make some other charge, although not proven, for the purpose of misleading in the investigation of the true cause of Contestant's defeat.

The proof in this case further shows that the tax collector attended at the polls, and he informed the board as to the payment of the taxes by the voters.

When a voter is duly registered he is *prima facie* entitled to vote, and unless challenged for cause, his vote should be received, unquestioned at the polls. And this is the uniform rule in Pennsylvania, except where the board know grounds of objection.

Not a single objection was shown against the regularity of this election in this district; or that illegal voters had been permitted to vote. *Mere allegations cannot be substituted for proof.*

THIRTEENTH—*Horton township, Elk county.*

As to this district—in notice of contest (see page 26)—there is no allegation of fraud or other irregularity. However, in Contestant's Brief, it is claimed "that the election officers were intimidated, &c., so that no fair election was held."

It is somewhat surprising that if such a state of affairs had in fact existed, that it was all unknown to the *election officers*. The voting at this poll was done, as in a great many other districts throughout the Commonwealth, *in the room*. A number of persons would of course be present, and for a legal purpose—to vote. One partisan of Contestant was challenged on account of non-payment of taxes, and he is called to prove confusion in the room! but he utterly fails to show the least disturbance of the officers. No one swears to any *intimidation*, and this for the cogent reason no one was intimidated, and none undertook to intimidate the officers. In Elk county a very spirited contest was had over the election for member of the State Legislature, and both parties were interested in having a fair election. Contestant in his Brief does not undertake to point out wherein any intimidation was resorted to, or wherein the result was not legal, but simply contents himself by making the assertion, which is totally unsupported by the evidence. It is directly and absolutely disproved by the whole tenor of the evidence. The confusion at this precinct was far less than the disturbance shown to exist at the election held in Penn township, Centre county, where Contestant obtained a large majority, and yet he does not pretend to assert, that in this latter district, there prevailed the least disturbance or irregularity. *With Contestant the questions of disturbance, illegality or fraud in the election depends solely upon the inquiry, Who obtained the majority?* This is a *quietus* as to anything irregular in districts giving him a majority!

FOURTEENTH—*Borough of Mill Hall.*

It is contended by Contestant that twenty-eight legal voters, of whom eight voted for Contestant and twenty for Contestee, should be disfranchised—not because they failed in a *single* requisite of an elector, but because the Town Council had no authority to extend the limits of the borough so as to

embrace the territory where these twenty-eight voters resided. And in the same argument Contestant's counsel tacitly admit that these twenty-eight persons were legal voters in Bald Eagle township. If this be so, wherein is Contestant injured?

We contend that these electors resided within the borough the requisite time, had all the qualifications required, and were entitled to vote in the borough. Counsel for Contestant, without any reason, beg the question and assert that the action of the Council was illegal and void, without giving any reason for the proposition. A reference to the facts and the law will demonstrate that this proposition of Contestant is erroneous. The borough of Mill Hall was incorporated on the 16th of February, A. D., 1849, by a decree of the proper court of Clinton county.

By an Act of Assembly approved 3d April, 1851, Ph. Laws 325, section 30, it is provided as follows: "The Burgess and Town Council of any borough shall have power, and by virtue of this act are directed and required "on petition of any number not less than twenty of the freehold owners of "lots or outlots or other tracts of land in any section lying adjacent to said "borough to declare by ordinance the admission of the section on which such "petitioners and others reside; and the said section shall forever thereafter "be deemed and taken and allowed to be a part of said borough, and subject "to the jurisdiction and government of the municipal authorities of said "borough as fully as if the same had been originally a part of the said borough."

Under the provisions of this act a petition was presented to the Council signed by some thirty freeholders, &c., praying the extension of the limits of said borough, which included this section; action was taken on the same by the borough authorities and an ordinance was framed and passed on the 3d day of September, 1878, admitting said section into the borough, and upon that day the said section became a part of said borough in law and in fact.

As to these persons, and as to the public, the borough of Mill Hall was their voting precinct *de facto* and *de jure*. The subsequent act of the Council on the 7th of January, 1879, *induced by the partisans of Contestant*, was void in law, as they had no authority to pass an ordinance of their own motion to repeal their former action; but whether void or valid their subsequent act could not be so *retroactive* as to affect the rights of citizens on the 5th of November, 1878. They could not repeal the right of the elector to his ballot, which right had been exercised and fully accomplished, more than two months before.

This indeed would be a more dangerous exercise of power than anything complained of by Contestant!

The doctrine is so monstrous and fraught with such fallacy, that it is shocking to common sense.

If further authorities be necessary to support these positions, maintaining the regularity and validity of the election held in these several districts, we refer to the case of the *People vs. Cook*, 8 N. Y. 67, where it was held by the Court of Appeals of New York that in a contested election case, very little attention should ordinarily be paid to mere irregularities in the proceedings of the election officers, which do not affect the *real merits of the case*. That where the evidence goes only to show an *irregularity without fraudulent intent*, and by which nobody is injured, the Court is not bound even to submit it to the jury as an open question. This rule was affirmed by the Appellate Court.

The officers of election may be liable to punishment for a violation of the directory provisions of a statute. Yet the people are not to suffer on account

of the default of their agents. *Piatt vs. People*, 29 Illinois 72, McCrary American election laws, sections 123-128 and 129.

It was decided by the Supreme court of Pennsylvania in 1876, after the adoption of the new Constitution, and the passage of the Registry act, that at an election for the office of County commissioner, the County commissioners did not furnish a correct copy of the resident taxable inhabitants to the officers of election in one of the election districts, as required by section 3 of the act of January 30th, 1874 (Registry act), this was not ground for setting aside the entire poll. The court below in the opinion filed, and which was affirmed by the Supreme court, say, "an election is the embodiment of the popular will, the expression of the sovereign power of the people. When the application of technical rules and a strict construction of the acts of the officers in preparing the election papers and conducting an election, would tend to defeat the will of the people and change the result of an election for an important office, they should not be applied, and all reasonable intentions should be made in favor of the legality of their proceedings."

"To disfranchise all the voters of a township, the facts on which we are required to act should show a case free from legal doubt. If we, by our decision should permit the carelessness or even fraud of officers, whose duty it is to furnish a list of voters at the election, to defeat the election and deprive the people of the county of the officer, who was elected by a majority of their votes, we would thus make the people suffer for an act in which they did not participate and which they did not sanction. A decision of this kind would be fraught with danger, by inviting unscrupulous or unprincipled persons on the eve of an important election to secrete or destroy the list of voters, or other important papers in a township in which the majority may determine the result in the county."

See contested election of Edwin R. Wheelock 82, Penn'a. State reports (1 Norris), page 297, McCrary election cases, sections 303-304 and 305.

FIFTEENTH—*Bribery*.

We scarcely think it worth the trouble to review these allegations. The evidence discloses nothing to implicate any one, or that any money was thus used.

An attempt was made by counsel for Contestant in the examination of certain witnesses, to pry into the affairs of individuals, which had no relation to the election, or the contest between the Contestant and Contestee, for the sole, and sinister purpose, of hunting up or discovering some act or thing that could be distorted and perverted, and not with any *bona fide* intent to show its connection with the present contest. All the witnesses for Contestant called to show an illegal use of money by Contestee, or his friends deny having knowledge of such use. It was well-known that Contestee had no means of his own, or within his control to use for any such purpose, and it is equally well-known that none was used, or attempted to be used. Not a single witness refused to answer a proper question.

We, however, think that Contestant is not guiltless in this respect; as the evidence shows that one man paid out a very large sum of money, in the interests of Contestant and for the purpose of influencing votes.

It is well to talk against bribery, but to act honestly is a better policy.

This brings us to the question of what was proper evidence in rebuttal. We deny Contestant's right, during the last ten days of taking testimony, to show original illegal votes for Contestee, if any such there were, and we deny that right here. We make no contention with the practice of the courts, in receiving testimony in rebuttal, or more properly speaking "out of order," where justice requires it. Where the offer is made *bona fide*, under stress of unforeseen circumstances and unaccompanied by trick or fraud as

in *Deral vs. Burbridge*, 6 W. & S. 528, and kindred cases, where the opposite party has the opportunity of calling witnesses in reply. *We maintain no case can be found in which the doctrine is held that testimony in chief, and which should be given in chief, may be given in rebuttal, where the opposite party has not the opportunity of reply.*

The principal upon which such testimony has been received by the courts is to prevent a failure of justice, and then only allowing the opposite party to call witnesses in reply. It has never been allowed by the courts where it would give an undue advantage to one party, *Hesler vs. Grath*, 52 Pa. St., Rep., 531.

These principles have grown up in the courts under the practice of the common law of England, and are only applicable to trial of cases in court where the parties have equal opportunities to call their witness, and hence no surprise or trick can be intended, at the same time under the supervision of the court, whose duty it is to prevent an unfair advantage to either party. But this principle we apprehend does not obtain in this case where the order and time of proof is regulated by statute.

Chapter eighth of the Revised Statutes of the United States regulating the mode of contested elections, section 107, provides as follows: "In all contested election cases the time allowed for taking testimony shall be ninety days, *and the testimony shall be taken in the following order*: The Contestant shall take testimony during the first forty days, the returned member during the succeeding forty days, and the Contestant may take testimony *in rebuttal only* during the remaining ten days of said period."

Contestant, in his notice, alleged a certain number of illegal votes and certain irregularities in election boards in specified districts; this he was bound to do under the statute referred to, (section 105). The Contestee, under section 106 of same statute, denied these allegations, and further made similar charges in other districts against Contestant. Thus the issue was made.

The Contestant had forty days within which to maintain his allegations by calling his witnesses.

Contestant's counsel have contended that notwithstanding the statute, he might withhold part of his proof and not offer it during the first forty days, but in the ten days given him, *in rebuttal only*, he might adduce this original proof. And in fact he so did. This attempt on behalf of Contestant is in direct conflict with every principle of fairness, honesty and precedent.

If this statute be binding on Contestee, as we admit it is, why is it not binding on Contestant? Had we undertaken, after the close of the ten days, to call witnesses in reply to the original proof of Contestant taken during the ten days, we would have been met with the objections of counsel and the positive bar of the statute. And yet under the precedents Contestant cites in his Brief, he admits our right to do so! We submit the true rule to be this: That Contestant during his forty days was bound to call his witnesses to support his allegations, and wherein he failed to do so he waived it.

If he attacked an entire poll, claiming that the election as held was illegal, and if he desired to count the vote which was returned for him, he must prove his vote by calling the individual voter and showing how he voted, together with his qualifications—failing to do this, he either abandons his charge or his vote in that district. He cannot call his voters in rebuttal, because this was testimony substantive in its nature and in chief, and in no sense could it be rebuttal to the testimony of Contestee.

Again—Contestant during his forty days offered in evidence in certain districts the list of voters and the registry list, claiming that all persons whose names are on the list of voters and not on the registry list, are what he

terms non-registered voters, and hence illegal. While we deny his entire doctrine as to non-registered voters, yet we contend that if he wished to avail himself, of the benefit of this proof, in the view Contestant takes of this class of voters, he was bound during the forty days to call and qualify all those he intended to qualify, and that he could not legally do so during the last ten days, for the plain reason that this was not in rebuttal of Contestee's testimony.

During the ten days he undertook, against our objection, to call and qualify a few of the non-registered voters on the lists that he offered in evidence.

This right we deny, while we admit that he had the right to qualify all such non-registered voters as appeared upon the lists we offered in evidence.

We further contended and still maintain that without notice, in his notice of contest, of any allegations as to non-registered voters (except in four districts) he cannot avail himself of the proof he has made in relation to this class of voters.

This brings us to the discussion of the status of *non-registered voters*, where, as in this case, *Contestant not only failed to call them but declined to prove for whom they voted*.

Contestant claims, *first*, that these votes shall be deducted from the majority candidate; *second*, if this be not the rule then they are to be deducted from each candidate in proportion to the vote cast for each candidate in the district. The first rule he denominates in his tabulated statement as Harding's rule; the second as McCrary's.

We deny both these propositions. The rule in Duffy's case, 4th Brewster, 531, termed *Harding's rule*, may have suited the facts of that case, where as the judge declared, the entire election was teeming with fraud, and he based it on the fraud of the party, but the ruling by Judge Harding, who was then the President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne county, Penna., was expressly overruled and disapproved of by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania on the 22d of March, 1875, in *ex-parte Barber*, 32 Legal Intelligencer, page 229, and also in 22d Pittsburgh Legal Journal, page 195, in which case the Supreme Court held *that it is not competent for the Court to deduct illegal votes proved from the majority candidate without proof, that they were cast for him*.

As to the second, which is termed McCrary's rule, we have searched Mr. McCrary's valuable treatise on the law of elections, and no where can we find that he gives any authority for the adoption of the rule as contended for by Contestant, but on the contrary he expressly disapproves of it. He says: "*We think the safer rule would be for the Contestant to show not only that a certain number of illegal votes were polled, but also to show, if he can that they were cast for his opponent.*"

That the ordinary principle which requires the party holding the affirmative to prove the facts, *and all the facts* necessary to make out his case, is the better rule, and that it will in all cases be safer to follow.

That he must use due diligence to find the illegal voter, and upon being found to ascertain from his testimony how he voted.

He bases this rule upon the true theory that the illegal voter can be called as a witness and compelled to testify for whom he voted, which he says is beyond doubt the true theory. See McCrary's election law, page 227.

Counsel for Contestant do not distinguish in their argument between the case where the Contestant does not use due diligence to show how the illegal voter voted, and the case where after using due diligence it is impossible to show for whom he voted. There is a marked distinction in principle between the two cases.

In the present contest we have no difficulty, as Contestant made no effort to call the illegal voter or show how he voted.

Mr. McCrary, in stating the true rule in the like case, happily recognizes the rule adopted by our own Supreme Court in McDaniel's case, reported in 3d Pennsylvania Law Journal, 310, and also in Brightly's leading cases on elections, page 238, which has been fully sustained by all the subsequent decisions in our commonwealth, and which is accepted as the undoubted law upon this question. It is stated thus: "To reject an illegal vote, it must appear for whom it was polled; it cannot be taken from the majority candidate unless proved to have been polled for him." This rule has not only the authority of law, by the highest tribunal in our State, but it is based upon the broadest principles of equity and right.

If Contestant fails to show, or use reasonable diligence to show for whom the illegal voter cast his vote, by calling him as a witness, or if he fail to establish the fact by other competent evidence, then his complaint must fail for want of proof, like any other cause which is lost for want of sufficient evidence to sustain it; upon no principle of justice could such votes be deducted from Contestee.

Under the express provision of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, that "*no elector shall be deprived of the privilege of voting by reason of his name not being registered*," it does not follow as a sequence that non-registered persons are illegal voters—some indeed may be, but the vast majority are not.

This case does not require us to discuss the constitutionality of the Registry act of Pennsylvania under the restriction placed upon the Legislature, in the above clause of the fundamental law.

We simply affirm this to be the law, that the Legislature, under the Constitution of Pennsylvania cannot alter the constitutional qualifications of electors—it may prescribe the necessary regulations as to place, mode and manner of holding and conducting the elections; but such regulations are to be reasonable and *subordinated to the enjoyment of the right itself*.

In Pennsylvania where an election has been held since the adoption of the present Constitution, and unregistered voters, have voted, and a contest has arisen, we think no lawyer will deny the right of a non-registered voter to testify as a witness to his own qualifications, and where unimpeached, his testimony alone, will be taken as full proof.

In appendix to Contestant's Brief a list of alleged unregistered voters is printed, which Contestant claims must be deducted from Contestee, either according to Harding's or McCrary's rule. We have already shown that no such rule as the former exists, and that the latter rule is not maintained by McCrary.

We deny that this list published by Contestant as unregistered voters, is correct or true. An examination of the several poll and registry lists referred to, will conclusively prove, that there is no reliability, or accuracy in it. It is solely made upon the slightest discrepancy between the spelling of the names on the poll list, and on the registry list; or where the initials of the voter are transposed; or where only one initial of the name is given; or where the christian name is written in full on the one list, and not on the other; or where *Junior* or *Senior* appears on the one list and not on the other; or where any other similar variation may be found in the respective names. *In all these cases the person is claimed by Contestant to be an illegal, non-registered voter.*

And not only this, but in all cases, where the election officers have received the vote of an elector, on "age," and so marked it on the registry as required by law; in all cases where they have received the vote of an elector, and marked his name on the registry, as "tax," as re-

quired by the Registry act; in all cases where the registry was lost, mislaid or not furnished by the Commissioners, and in nearly every case where the voter was qualified as a witness, and proved his qualification as an elector—in all these cases they are marked on this list as non-registered voters.

As an illustration how this list is made, we refer to one instance in Spring township, Centre county, page 3 of Contestant's appendix, No. 342, *J. Milton Furey*.

On the registry list of Spring township, printed testimony page 271, his name is printed John M. Furey, on the poll list, page 222, it is printed J. Milton Furey; Contestant claims him as an illegal non-registered voter!!

This is but one of a hundred others, in this list, which we might enumerate.

On pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of Contestant's Appendix, all the voters in Union and Old Armagh townships except the 60 day lists, are claimed as non-registered voters. In Old Armagh township, the election officers identify the register used by them at the polls, and which was furnished them by the Commissioners, and which was offered in evidence. See page 2906-2956 showing that every voter but three was duly registered; and in Union township the officers swear they had a register, that the names were checked off as the voter presented himself at the polls; yet Contestant claims this entire township as non-registered.

There are various reasonable methods to account for all these slight discrepancies in the names of voters.

The usual manner of holding the elections in Pennsylvania is as follows: One inspector takes charge of the registry list; the other inspector receives the ballots and announces the name of the voter. In most of the districts the elector is personally known to the inspector, and he announces the voter by the name by which he is usually called or known without giving the initials; the clerks write down from the sound without seeing or knowing the person, and they very often differ in their method of spelling it. The other inspector not only sees the voter, but checks the proper name on the registry list. There is no time to compare the orthography or the initials of the names. The list of voters goes to the prothonotary, and it is copied by him to be used as testimony. It then goes to the printer, and the next appearance is in the testimony. Is it at all singular that many errors should thus be made to appear? Are honest voters to be termed illegal simply because some one has made an error in spelling his name, or omitting one of his initials?

Are election officers to be stigmatized as acting fraudulently in receiving the votes of such persons? It must also be borne in mind in this connection that the clerks of the commissioners were not careful in recopying the registry lists after the June assessments were made. In *Centre county*, the corrected lists made by the assessor on the 61st day before the election, as required by the Registry act, were not copied by the proper authorities, and then sent direct to the election board; but the assessors handed these corrected lists to the election officers, and they were required to place the same in the ballot boxes and seal the same, so that in many instances the certified copies of registry lists offered in evidence are necessarily incorrect; and in not a single case, except Old Armagh township, was the registry actually used at the polls offered in evidence, and in that case but three persons appear as unregistered.

We claimed when the testimony was being taken by Contestant in chief, and before the destruction of the contents of the ballot boxes, long prior to the 18th of February, 1879, that the only true and correct registry of voters, were those used by the election officers and deposited by them in the boxes; that these registries would show who voted as the law required the officers to

mark opposite the name of every person who voted the letter "V," and if on age, the word "age," and if not registered then to add his name and mark "tax." That the best evidence of non-registered voters, in fact the only evidence consisted in the production of these registry lists; that it was in the power of Contestant to produce them, and that upon a proper petition addressed to the Court by Contestant an order could readily be obtained to open the boxes and produce the contents before the commissioners; that without this effort on behalf of Contestant the certified copies of registry lists in the commissioner's office were not evidence for the purpose intended. Contestant declined to make any effort to obtain or secure the production of the ballot-boxes before the commissioner, *and for the very plain and palpable reason that the contents of the ballot-boxes, would have utterly disproved every allegation on the part of Contestant.*

Having thus prevented the production of the best evidence we submit to the committee that he cannot use secondary and inferior evidence to accomplish the purpose—*not only inferior evidence*, but that which, upon Contestant's own showing, is not evidence of the fact.

The production of the boxes, would also have shown the affidavits that were made, in nearly every case, of non-registered voters, a fact which Contestant by the character and method of his proof sought to avoid showing.

The entire evidence taken by Contestant, as well as his tabulated statement, printed with his Brief, demonstrates the fact that wherever a non-qualified person had voted, or wherever a non-registered voter was not qualified by reason of non-registry, non-residence, non-payment of tax, or for any other cause, he was called and his disqualifications shown.

That among all the non-registered voters in the six counties, Contestant was able to prove that but a few were not qualified, and these he called without a single exception. That having thus searched the lists with the greatest care, as well as the entire Congressional district, and having found a very small number as shown by the proof, who were not qualified, he now seeks to class the entire residue as illegal voters by reason, as he contends, of non-registration!! And this, too, notwithstanding his own argument that under the constitutional provision referred to, *non-registration is not disqualification.*

This effort is made, not by those clear, distinct means of proof which the law recognizes as the best evidence, and without accounting for its non-production, the only evidence, but by an inferior class of evidence, which on its own face shows the legal reasons for its rejection.

And in endeavoring to accomplish this result Contestant comes in direct conflict with the latest decision of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in the case of Wheelock, 1 Norris 297, delivered on the 8th of June, 1876, and the only one, under the new Constitution upon this question, in which the Court held that the absence of a registry of voters is no cause for setting aside the poll. That "if we by our decision shall permit the carelessness or even the fraud of officers whose duty it is to furnish a list of voters at the election, to defeat the election and deprive the people of the county of the officer who was elected by a majority of their votes, we would thus make the people suffer for an act in which they did not participate and which they did not sanction; a decision of this kind would be fraught with danger, by inviting unscrupulous or unprincipled persons on the eve of an important election, to secrete or destroy the lists of voters, or other important papers in a township in which the majority may determine the result in the county."

This being the law as declared by the highest court in this State under this very Registry act and under the new Constitution, it may well be asked, How then can the absence of a registry be made to support a basis upon which the entire poll list is claimed to be non-registered voters and thereby

accomplish the same result? And the same inquiry is pertinent to the case where the proof shows imperfect registries, or fails to show the registry used by the election officers.

We have made a corrected summary of Contestant's Brief, in which we have corrected his tables as to illegal votes cast for Contestee. We have also corrected his list of alleged non-registered voters, and shown by reference to the registry lists referred to in Contestant's Brief and other evidence, that nearly the entire number are registered; that many whom he claims as non-registered made the affidavits required by law, and that Contestant offered the same in evidence; that the greater part of the residue were called as witnesses and proved their qualifications, leaving a comparative few, whose names we have not been able to identify, on the registry lists.

We respectfully refer the committee to this corrected list, deeming it proper to say, that upon a comparison of the two tables, it will become apparent, upon the least investigation, that the method adopted by the Contestant, in order to show non-registered voters, was both *strained* and unfair.

We called and qualified nearly all the *real unregistered voters* in the districts, in which Contestant offered poll and registry lists, although in many of them no allegations were made in notice of contest; and in only four or five in the entire Congressional District were any allegations made as to *non-registered voters*.

In addition to the correction of Contestant's Brief, which is contained in appendix A. and B., we have presented in tabulated form the illegal votes for Contestant, as shown by the evidence and designated as the *general summary of Contestee*.

We have also prepared a list of non-registered voters, in districts giving Contestant majorities, and we submit to the committee, that a careful comparison of this list, with similar lists, made by Contestant, printed in his Brief, will show more non-registered voters in districts giving Contestant a majority, than in districts giving Contestee a majority.

No doubt Contestant in reply will undertake to show that these are not non-registered voters; that they were called and qualified; but we have endeavored to strike from our list, all that were duly qualified, leaving as the result, the list printed as non-registered voters. In a few instances we may have overlooked some names, owing to the large mass of testimony, but we submit, that the table is much nearer the true record than the table of Contestant.

The official majority for Contestee was seventy-three; a mistake of seven in the west ward of the borough of Mifflinburg, Union county, against Contestee, and which is admitted by Contestant, in his Brief, will increase Contestee's majority to eighty.

Added to this, the illegal votes shown to be cast for Contestant, after deducting the illegal votes admitted in our summary for Contestee, we feel confident in saying that the true majority for Contestee is more than triple the official majority.

We submit that Contestant has failed to make that character of proof as to alleged non-registered voters, which every principle of justice and right require, and which every authority of the highest courts in the land demands; and having so failed, he cannot under any principle of law, or under the guide of any precedent, or rule established by authority of law, charge any proportion of alleged non-registered voters to Contestee.

Without any charge in notice of contest; without any proper proof of the existence of non-registered voters, and without any evidence, showing for whom any such persons voted, although the Contestant had ample means at his command to call the voter; having used no diligence to call them,

but upon the contrary refusing to do so, while at the same time a larger percentage of this class of persons is found in Contestant's own districts, we respectfully submit that Contestant cannot, without a violation of the rights of Contestee, derive any benefit or advantage therefrom.

We therefore submit the adjudication of this contest to the committee, being assured that any impartial view of the evidence, and the law applicable to the case, will clearly vindicate the right of the Contestee to retain his seat in the 46th Congress of the United States, from the 20th Congressional district of Pennsylvania, to which he was legally elected by the voice of the people, as expressed at the polls on the 5th day of November, A.D., 1878.

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GENERAL AND CORRECTED RESULT IN DISTRICT.

	<i>Official Vote.</i>		<i>Corrected Vote.</i>	
	CURTIN	YOCUM	CURTIN	YOCUM
Centre County.....	3535	3486	3438	3480
Clearfield County.....	3034	2914	2937	2896
Clinton County.....	2565	2264	2498	2263
Elk County.....	1010	803	978	800
Mifflin County.....	1782	1767	1768	1767
Union County.....	1455	2220	1427	2219
Total.....	13381	13454	13046	13425
Majority.....		73		379
OFFICIAL MAJORITY—YOCUM..... 73				
ACTUAL MAJORITY—YOCUM..... 379				

GENERAL RECAPITULATION OF THE RESULT IN DISTRICT BY COUNTIES.

	Curtin	Yocum
CENTRE COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief, for Yocum.....	70	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	64	
True number illegal Yocum votes.....	6	6
Number admitted illegal for Curtin in his Brief.....	7	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary of Contestee, including those admitted.....	97	
CLEARFIELD COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief, for Yocum.....	64	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	46	
True number illegal Yocum votes.....	18	18
Admitted illegal Curtin votes.....	29	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary of Contestee including those admitted.....	97	
CLINTON COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief for Yocum.....	69	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	68	
True number illegal Yocum votes.....	1	1
Admitted illegal Curtin votes.....	25	
Deduct Mill Hall list.....	8	
Admitted illegal Curtin votes.....	17	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary, including those admitted.....	67	
ELK COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief for Yocum.....	53	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	50	
True number illegal Yocum votes.....	3	3
Admitted illegal Curtin votes.....	4	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary including those admitted.....	32	
MIFFLIN COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief for Yocum.....	2	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	2	
Illegal Curtin votes admitted in his Brief.....	1	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary including the one admitted.....	14	
UNION COUNTY.		
Illegal votes claimed by Contestant in his Brief, for Yocum.....	4	
Shown to be legal by testimony.....	3	
True number illegal Yocum votes.....	1	1
Illegal Curtin votes admitted in his Brief.....	10	
Proven illegal Curtin votes see general summary including those admitted.....	28	
Total illegal votes in district.....	335	29
Official vote in district.....	13381	13454
Deduct illegal votes above.....	335	29
Corrected vote in district.....	13046	13425
Corrected majority in district for Seth H. Yocum.....	379	

This result is obtained without any reference to what is termed unregistered voters. We have prepared a tabulated statement of unregistered voters by counties, made up in districts, giving majorities for either Contestant or Contestee. If unregistered voters be considered by the committee, in light of the fact, that neither side offered any evidence, for whom they voted, it is very apparent, that no Rule can be adopted, which would be of advantage to Contestant. The result would simply be to confirm and increase the majority of Contestee. See following statement:

STATEMENT OF ALLEGED UNREGISTERED VOTERS IN THE DISTRICT.

		<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum</i>
CENTRE COUNTY.			
Number of alleged unregistered votes in election districts, giving			
Curtin a majority.....	536		
Same in districts, giving Yocum a majority.....			63
CLEARFIELD COUNTY.			
Same in districts giving Curtin a majority.....	207		
Same in districts giving Yocum a majority.....			71
CLINTON COUNTY.			
Same in districts giving Curtin a majority.....	571		
Same in districts giving Yocum a majority.....			31
ELK COUNTY.			
Same in districts giving Curtin a majority.....	110		
Same in districts giving Yocum a majority.....			45
MIFFLIN COUNTY.			
Same in districts giving Curtin a majority.....	371		
Same in districts giving Yocum a majority.....			59
UNION COUNTY.			
Same in districts giving Curtin a majority.....	53		
Same in districts giving Yocum a majority.....			55
Total number in Curtin districts.....	1848		
Total number in Yocum districts.....			324

General Summary of Illegal Votes in District.

CENTRE COUNTY.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (NORTH WARD.)

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Frank P. Blair.....	Bribery.....	403	1	
W. F. Reber.....	Bribery.....	1432	1	
J. W. Rhone.....	Non-registered.....	157-201-1353	1	
W. F. Reber.....	Ticket changed after polls closed.....	1354	1	
	Total Illegal.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 138; Yocum 133. See page 137 printed testimony.

Corrected vote—Curtin 134; Yocum 133.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (SOUTH WARD.)

W. H. Page.....	Non registered.....	172-203-1353	1	
Jacob Manasses.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
A. C. Moyer.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
Simon Friedman.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
	Total Illegal.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 115; Yocum 113. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 111; Yocum 113.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (WEST WARD.)

Daniel Hoover.....	Non-registered.....	174-205-1353	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 42; Yocum 84. See page 137 printed testimony.

Corrected vote—Curtin 41; Yocum 84.

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH.

Noah Heller.....	Non-payment of tax.....	339	1	
Wm. Hemphill.....	Non-residence.....	1526—1532 1534—1545	1	
Lewis Frank.....	Not assessed*.....	1532—1537 1545	1	
Jackson Gorten.....	Bribery.....	1565	1	
David Shontz.....	Non-payment of tax.....	384—3382	1	
James Elboch.....	Non-residence.....	3383	1	
	Total Illegal.....		6	

Official vote—Curtin 142; Yocum 198. Printed testimony 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 136; Yocum 198.

*Admitted by Contestant.

BENNER TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Wm. Bailey.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1287	1	
David Kauffman.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1287	1	
Jacob Lutz.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1287	1	
Richard Conley.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1287—3069	1	
F. A. Foresman.....	Non-registered and non-pay- ment of tax*.....	3201	1	
Moses Walters.....	Non-resident.....	3184—3185	1	
James Clark.....	No citizenship, naturalized too soon.....	3118	1	
Wm. Meckly.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3120	1	
Lazarus Nearhood.....	Non-resident.....	3122—3123	1	
Samuel Kern.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3139	1	
P. T. B. Smith.....	Non-citizenship.....	3140	1	
Henry Sticken.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3150	1	
James Knox.....	Non-residence.....	3164	1	
Wm. Lutz.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3192	1	
D. K. Kerlin.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3193	1	
Elias Breon.....	Non-resident.....	3197—3198	1	
William Hassinger.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3204	1	
	7 fraudulent votes counted for Curtin.....	1263—1264	7	
	Total Illegal.....		24	

Official vote—Curtin 107; Yocum 120. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 83; Yocum 120.

*Admitted by Contestant.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

Franklin Hoover.....	Bribery.....	1294—1295	1	
James McClain.....	Bribery.....	1294—1295	1	
William Brown.....	Non-residence.....	1295	1	
Allen Bathurst.....	Non-residence.....	1297—1298	1	
John L. Croft.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1298—1302	1	
Alios Kohlbecker (or Alois Coldecker).....	Bribery.....	3075 1325—1324	1	
E. C. Poorman.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
E. J. Grassmire.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
John Dixon.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
Hugh Sharp.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
Thomas Poorman.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
John Gormany.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
Johnson Warner.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
Martin Haines.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
Charles Smoyer.....	Non-registered.....	214-254-1575	1	
	Total Illegal.....		15	

Official vote—Curtin 196; Yocum 209. Printed testimony, page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 181; Yocum 209.

CURTIN TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
* Harry Watkins.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3306—1332	1	
	Total illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 54 ; Yocum 35. See page 137 printed testimony.

Corrected vote—Curtin 53 ; Yocum 35. *Admitted by Contestant

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP (EASTERN PRECINCT.)

John C. Eckle.....	Non-registered.....	248-274-1352	1	
Adam H. Krumrine.....	Non-registered.....	do.	1	
James Archy.....	Non-registered.....	do- 1596	1	
William Miller.....	Non-registered.....	do. do	1	
	Total Illegal.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 104 ; Yocum 124. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 100 ; Yocum 124.

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

F. B. Hosterman.....	Non-payment of tax.....	110	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 246 ; Yocum 68. See page 137 printed testimony.

Corrected vote—Curtin 245 ; Yocum 68.

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

C. N. Philips.....	Non-assessed and non-pay- ment of tax.....	3333	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 212 ; Yocum 107. Printed testimony, page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 211 ; Yocum 107.

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

James Cross.....	*Non-payment of tax.....	1303	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 31 ; Yocum 103. Printed in testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 30 ; Yocum 103. *Admitted by Contestant.

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

James M. Way.....	Non-resident.....	105	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 108 ; Yocum 57. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 107 ; Yocum 57.

HOWARD TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Frank Confer.....	Non-registered	195-208-1593	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 81; Yocum 86. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 80; Yocum 86.

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

Joseph Brown.....	Bribery	1314 - 1315	1	
			1	

Official vote—Curtin 34; Yocum 124. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 33; Yocum 124.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

*S. S Kunes.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1317	1	
Amos Rupert.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1323	1	
	Total Illegal.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 54; Yocum 130. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 52; Yocum 130. *Admitted by Contestant

MARION TOWNSHIP.

		1330		
		1331		
		3101		
Daniel Delaney.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3102	1	
		1304		
		1306		
		1307		
William Leoder	Non-resident	3291	1	
	Total Illegal.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 94; Yocum 43. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 92; Yocum 43.

PATTON TOWNSHIP.

Frank Pennington.....	Non-payment of tax.....	41		1
Bubb Miller.....	Non-payment of tax.....	72		1
James S. Cross.....	Non-payment of tax	1303	1	
Total Illegal.....			1	2

Official vote—Curtin 21; Yocum 112. Printed testimony page 137

Corrected vote—Curtin 20; Yocum 110.

RUSH TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin.	Yocum
John Nason.....	Non-residence.....	1349	1	
D. N. Bartoe.....	Not assessed and non-pay-	1557—1559	1	
	ment of tax.....	1559—1558	1	
Lewis Fike.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1562	1	
Thomas Cartwright.....	Non-payment of tax.....			
	Total Illegal.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 95 ; Yocum 95. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 91 ; Yocum 95

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

Daniel Shank.....	Non-payment of tax.....	54		1
	Total Illegal.....			1

Official vote—Curtin 75 ; Yocum 136. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 75 ; Yocum 135.

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

Wm. McGowan.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1315—1316		
Thornton Hunter.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1715—1717	1	
William Morgan.....	Non-registered.....	93		1
Wash Johnson.....	Non-payment of tax.....	94	1	
Michal Cratty.....	Non-payment of tax.....	120		1
Stephen Frost.....	Non-registered.....	126		1
George Noll.....	Non-registered.....	1326-225-271	1	
Samuel Rice.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
L. P. Corman.....	Non-registered.....	1327-do	1	
John Hines.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
John Corman.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
W. H. Alters.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
Wm. Barnhart.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
Theo. Aikey.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1327—1333		
		1347—1315	1	
Charles Corman.....	Non-registered.....	1340-225-271	1	
James Emerick.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1347	1	
Abraham Baird.....	*Non-payment of tax.....	1593	1	
J. F. Lutz.....	*Non-payment of tax and			
	non-residence.....	1596	1	
	Total Illegal.....		15	3

Official vote—Curtin 177 ; Yocum 240. Printed in testimony page 137

Corrected vote—Curtin 162 ; Yocum 237

*Admitted by Contestant.

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Heb Blowers.....	Non-registered.....	199-210		
		1591-2	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 52; Yocum 65. Printed testimony page 137

Corrected vote—Curtin 51; Yocum 65

WALKER TOWNSHIP.

John Vonada.....	Non-registered.....	1321-1423		
		1449	1	
	J. V. Twitmire.....	do	1	
	Non-registered.....		1	
	Hezekiah Sprohl.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3287	1
	John Sproul.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3288	1
Samuel Sproul.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3290	1	
	Total Illegal.....		5	

Official vote—Curtin 199; Yocum 111. Printed testimony page 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 194; Yocum 111.

WORTH TOWNSHIP.

Leonard Sharrer.....	Non-registered.....	178-206-1348	1	
James Murray.....	Non-registered.....	do	1	
	Total Illegal.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 67; Yocum 75. Printed testimony 137.

Corrected vote—Curtin 65; Yocum 75.

CORRECTED RESULT IN CENTRE COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Bellefonte borough—North ward.....	134	133
Bellefonte borough—South ward.....	111	113
Bellefonte borough—West ward.....	41	84
Milesburg borough.....official	32	98
Unionville borough.....official	34	43
Howard borough.....official	38	53
Philipsburg borough.....	136	198
Benner township.....	83	120
Boggs township.....	181	209
Burnside township.....official	22	46
College township.....official	64	185
Curtin township.....official	53	35
Ferguson township, (East precinct).....	100	124
Ferguson township, (West precinct).....official	20	111
Gregg township.....	245	68
Haines township.....	211	107
Halfmoon township.....	30	103
Harris township.....	107	57
Howard township.....	80	86
Huston township.....	33	124
Liberty township.....	52	130
Marion township.....	92	43
Miles township.....official	228	79
Patton township.....	20	110
Penn township.....official	257	34
Potter township, (Northern precinct).....official	166	74
Potter township, (Southern precinct).....official	169	79
Rush township.....	91	95
Snow Shoe township.....	75	135
Spring township.....	162	237
Taylor township.....	51	65
Union township.....official	61	116
Walker township.....	194	111
Worth township.....	65	75
Total.....	3438	3480
Majority		42

CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

CLEARFIELD BOROUGH.

Registered or Not.	Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				Curtin	Yocum
	*John W. Shupert.....	Non-payment of tax.	1604	1	
	James A. Mullen.....	Non-residence	1605—1627	1	
	Jno. Kettlebarger.....	Non-payment of tax.	1607-1625-28	1	
	Joseph H. Jones.....	" " "	1650	1	
Not.	A. Kauffman.....	" " "	3648	1	
	Total.....			5	

Official vote—Curtin 202; Yocum 140. Printed testimony page 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 197; Yocum 140.

*Admitted by Contestant.

HOUTZDALE BOROUGH.

	*Daniel Soult.....	Non-payment of tax	2190	1	
	*James Bradley.....	" " "	1631	1	
	*Pat Muleabey.....	" " "	2197	1	
	*Richard Lilly.....	" " "	1634	1	
	*Edwd. Blake.....	" " "	1638	1	
	*John McCloskey.....	" " "	1641	1	
	*Richard Bowen.....	" " "	1820	1	
	*Patk. Cavanaugh.....	" " "	1822	1	
Not.	Michael Gouldin.....	" " "	1639—1642	1	
	Thos. Gibbon, Jr.....	" " "	1636-1642-44	1	
	Total			10	

Official vote—Curtin 97; Yocum 111. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 87; Yocum 111. *Admitted by contestant.

NEW WASHINGTON BOROUGH.

	Wm. Mehaffey.....	Non-residence	2160-1730-32	1	
	Total			1	

Official vote—Curtin 29; Yocum 21. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 28; Yocum 21.

WALLACETON BOROUGH.

Not.	Abram Hummel.....	Non-payment of tax	2159—2165	1	
	Total.....			1	

Official vote—Curtin 28; Yocum 3. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 27; Yocum 3.

BECCARIA TOWNSHIP—CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>Registered or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum</i>
	Wm. Ball.....	Non-payment of tax	1775—1823	1	
	Geo. W. Dewalt.....	" " "	1781-1817-23	1	
	Peter Rissell.....	" " "	1782-1818-23	1	
	S. C. Shoff.....	" " "	1785-1824	1	
	Jno. S. Cavender.....	" " "	2183	1	
	*Christ Frederick.....	" " "	1804	1	
	*Stephen Frederick.....	" " "	1816	1	
	Total			7	

Official vote—Curtin 110; Yocum 103. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 103; Yocum 109. *Admitted by contestant.

BELL TOWNSHIP.

*James Mott.....	Non-payment of tax.	2147	1	
*Jackson Ramalay.....	" " "	1763	1	
Wm. O'Dell.....	" " "	2150	1	
Total			3	

Official vote—Curtin 102; Yocum 42. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 99; Yocum 42. *Admitted by Contestant.

BRADY TOWNSHIP.

David Snyder.....	Non-payment of tax.	2109—2142	1	
W. F. Shannon.....	Non-residence.....	2140—3641	1	
John Harwick.....	Non-payment of tax.	2101—2141	1	
David Shaffer.....	Non-payment of tax.	2116	1	
Pat Quirk.....	Nonpayment of tax and alien.....	2118	1	
C. H. Farner.....	Non-payment of tax.	2131—3680	1	
*J. A. Durfee.....	" " "	2105	1	
*Jno. W. Rickert.....	" " "	2120	1	
*W. D. Yoas.....	" " "	2121	1	
*Geo. Shugarts.....	" " "	2122	1	
*David McKinney.....	" " "	2124	1	
*Jas. B. Nolder.....	" " "	1918	1	
*Sam'l Troy.....	" " "	2124	1	
*Dan'l Place.....	" " "	1771	1	
Not. F. B. Williams.....	" " "	1653	1	
Not. Washington Dixon.....	Illegally rejected Yo- cum voter.....	2111—2115	1	
Geo. W. Moore.....	Non-payment of tax.	495		1
James Murphey.....	" " "	620		1
Total			16	2

Official vote—Curtin 355; Yocum 219. Printed testimony, 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 339; Yocum 217. *Admitted by Contestant.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>Registered or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote.</i>	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				<i>Curtin</i>	<i>Yocum</i>
	Fenton Phelan.....	Non-payment of tax.	1927	1	
	*Uriah Bumbarger.....	Same	1922	1	
	Total.....			2	

Official vote—Curtin 77; Yocum 56. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 75; Yocum 56.

*Admitted by Contestant.

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

	Dan'l McCracken.....	Non-payment of tax and bribery.....	1726	1	
	Dixon Vertz.....	Same	1723—1727	1	
	Total.....			2	

Official vote—Curtin 61; Yocum 204; Printed testimony 629.

Corrected voted—Curtin 59; Yocum 204.

BLOOM TOWNSHIP.

	Jacob Gearhart.....	Non-payment of tax.	1699—2133 1761	1	
	Total.....			1	

Official vote—Curtin 33; Yocum 22. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 32; Yocum 22.

CHEST TOWNSHIP.

	Jacob Pennington.....	Non-payment of tax.	1729—1764	1	
	Total.....			1	

Official vote—Curtin 99; Yocum 80. Printed testimony, 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 98; Yocum 80.

DECATUR TOWNSHIP.

Not.	*Gabriel Lucas.....	Non-payment of tax.	1712	1	
	Milton L. Owens.....	" " "	1753—2156	1	
	John Kelley.....	" " "	1790—2—1935	1	
	M. Johnson.....	" " "	2158—2159	1	
	Fred Shields.....	" " "	604	1	
	Benj. F. Kephart.....	" " "	1934—1935	1	
	Total.....			6	

Official vote—Curtin 105; Yocum 127. Printed testimony, 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 99; Yocum 127.

*Admitted by Contestant.

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

	Nathaniel C. Tobias.....	Non-residence.....	1755	1	
	Total.....			1	

Official vote—Curtin 63; Yocum 43. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 62; Yocum 43.

GRAHAM TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

Registered or Not.	Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				Curtin.	Yocum
Not.	R. Weight.....	Non-payment of tax.	1733—1759.	1	
		Total.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 48; Yocum 80. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 47; Yocum 80.

GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP.

	Thomas Smith.....	Non-residence.....	2163	1	
		Total.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 49; Yocum 39. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 48; Yocum 39.

GUELICH TOWNSHIP.

Not.	Wm. Shaw.....	Non-residence.....	2232	1	
	Aaron Osman (or Ansborn)	" "	1818	1	
		Total		2	

Official vote—Curtin 52; Yocum 127. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 50; Yocum 127.

KNOX TOWNSHIP.

Not.	S. Snyder Bloom.....	Non-payment of tax.	1906	1	
Not.	David W. McCracken.....	Non-residence.....	1695	1	
		Total		2	

Official vote—Curtin 102; Yocum 29. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 100; Yocum 29.

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP.

Not.	Joseph Redinger.....	Non-payment of tax.	1710—1745	1	
	Thomas Toot (or Loots)...	" " "	3653	1	
	H. E. Lenich.....	" " "	1622	1	
Not.	A. J. Lenich.....	" " "	3657	1	
	Christ Stafford.....	" " "	1696	1	
		Total.....		5	

Official vote—Curtin 249; Yocum 136. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 244; Yocum 136.

MORRIS TOWNSHIP.

Not.	John Rupley.....	Non-residence.....	1739—56—60	1	
	Geo. R. Hart.....	Bribery.....	2171	1	
	Jac Saneroft.....	Bribery.....	689—2171	1	
Not.	George Trimble, "Jr.".....	Not naturalized.....	432		1
		Total		3	1

Official vote—Curtin 165; Yocum 124. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 162; Yocum 123.

PIKE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

Registered, or Not.	Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				Curtin	Yocum
	*Joseph Addleman.....	Non-payment of tax.	2069	1	
	*John F. Stage.....	" " "	2070	1	
	*Lewis Olmsted.....	" " "	2076	1	
	*John Anderson.....	" " "	1660	1	
	*Seymour Ross.....	" " "	1668	1	
	Edward Miller.....	" " "	1769	1	
Not.	Rev. Smith Pratt.....	" " "	448	1	
	Albert McGarey.....	" " "	1655-57-72	1	
	Wm. Pyles.....	Non residence.....	1662-65	1	
	Arnold Bloom.....	Bribery.....	2076-85-71	1	
	George D. Murphey.....	Illegally rejected Yo- cum voter.....	1666	1	
Not.	A. A. Wright.....	Illegally rejected Yo- cum voter.....	1685	1	
Not.	Peter Ellinger.....	Non payment of tax.	3516-17	1	
Not.	Wesley Smith.....	" " "	3508-4010	1	
	Tim Riley (or Reely).....	Not naturalized.....	2067		1
	Woods Appleton.....	Non payment tax.....	449		1
	W. U. Stage.....	" " "	408-451		1
	Robert Addleman.....	" " "	451		1
	Ben Johnson.....	" " "	451		
	Total illegal.....			14	4

Official vote—Curtin 154; Yocum 86. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 140; Yocum 82. *Admitted by contestant.

UNION TOWNSHIP.

Not.	Elias Doney.....	Non-payment of tax..	2091-96 1690-91	1	
	Total			1	

Official vote—Curtin 25; Yocum 51. Printed testimony 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 24; Yocum 51.

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

Registered or Not.	Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
				FOR WHOM CAST	
				Curtin	Yocum
Not.	*Geo. F. Walter.....	Non-payment of tax..	2200	1	
	Richard Bowen.....	" " "	1820	1	
	Millard A. Schoff.....	Non-residence.....	1829-1834	1	
	Terrance Bigley.....	Non-payment of tax.	3497-2254	1	
	G. W. Smith.....	Non-payment of tax.	3483	1	
	E. M. Nash.....	Non-payment of tax.	3549	1	
	Reuben Mahew.....	Non-payment of tax.	3437	1	
	Stacy T. Bowman.....	Non-residence.....	1773-2198	1	
			2214	1	
	Milton H. Hampton.....	Non-residence.....	1937-1940		1
Not.			3493		
	Josiah W. Gill.....	Non-payment of tax.	489-94		
	Jona Carson.....	" " "	489-500		1
	John Sandrock.....	" " "	489-504		1
	Joseph Reese.....	" " "	489-511		1
	R. O. McDonald.....	" " "	489-521		1
	Edwin W. Beeby.....	" " "	489-524		1
	Aaron Westover.....	" " "	489-525		1
	B. Swoope.....	Non-residence.....	489-534		1
	J. R. Durkey.....	Non-payment of tax..	558		1
Not.	Wm. Earle.....	" " "	440-563		1
	Wm. Smith.....	" " "	564		1
	Thos. Paisley.....	Not naturalized.....	3450	1	
	Thos. Mathers.....	Non-assessment and		1	
		payment of tax.....	3442	1	
	Reuben Mahew.....	" " "	3437		
	Total			12	11

Official vote—Curtin 110; Yocum 201.

Printed testimony, 629.

Corrected vote—Curtin 98; Yocum 190.

*Admitted by Contestant.

Summary of Results in Disputed Districts in Clearfield County.

Illegal Yocum votes as shown by correction of Contestant's summary..... 18

Illegal Curtin votes as shown by this summary..... 97

CORRECTED RESULT IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Vocum.</i>
Burnside borough.....official	12	34
Clearfield borough.....	197	140
Curwensville borough.....official	53	106
Houtzdale borough.....	87	111
Lumber City borough.....official	30	30
Newburgh borough.....do	26	10
New Washington borough.....	28	21
Osceola borough.....official	86	84
Wallaceton borough.....	27	3
Beccaria township.....	103	109
Bell township.....	99	42
Bloom township.....	32	22
Boggs township.....	75	56
Bradford township.....official	118	146
Brady township.....	339	217
Burnside township.....	59	204
Chest township.....	98	80
Covington township.....official	59	68
Decatur township.....	99	127
Ferguson township.....	62	43
Girard township.....official	34	66
Goshen township.....do	29	47
Graham township.....	47	80
Greenwood township.....	48	39
Gulich township.....	50	127
Huston township.....official	79	99
Jordon township.....do	71	58
Karthaush township.....do	48	51
Knox township.....	100	29
Lawrence township.....	244	136
Morris township.....	162	123
Penn township.....official	74	57
Pike township.....	140	82
Union township.....	24	51
Woodward township.....	98	190
Total.....	2936	2896
Majority.....	40	

CLINTON COUNTY.

ALLISON TOWNSHIP.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
William Cole.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2358-59-60	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 66; Yocum 110. See page 908 printed testimony.
Corrected vote—Curtin 65; Yocum 110.

BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP.

Jacob Smith.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2356-57	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 51; Yocum 79. Printed testimony page 909.
Corrected vote—Curtin 50; Yocum 79.

CHAPMAN TOWNSHIP.

Alexander Macklin.....	*Not reg.; non-resident.....	2582-2318	1	
	Total Illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 77; Yocum 76. Printed testimony page 2568.
Corrected vote—Curtin 76; Yocum 76. *Admitted by Contestant.

COLEBROOK TOWNSHIP.

C. F. Earon.....	Not registered.....	850-2442	1	
	Total illegal.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 22; Yocum 43. See page 910 printed testimony.
Corrected vote—Curtin 21; Yocum 43.

CRAWFORD TOWNSHIP.

Wm. Wilt.....	Not of age.....	785		1
Samuel Wentzell.....	Non-payment of tax not registered.....	2584-2381 2440	1	
Alfred C. Chatham.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2381-2440	1	
E. G. Showers.....	Non-registered.....	2584-3707	1	
	Total Illegal.....		3	1

Official vote—Curtin 52; Yocum 39. Printed testimony page 2573.
Corrected vote—Curtin 49; Yocum 38.

CASTANEA TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
David Holler.....	Non-resident.....	2385	1	
James Bradley.....	Not of age; not reg.....	2588—3706	1	
	Total.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 33; Yocum 29.

Corrected vote—Curtin 31; Yocum 29.

GRUGAN TOWNSHIP.

Frank Johnston.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2323-2322	1	
George R. Eilert.....	Non-citizenship non-regis- tered.....	3809-2593	1	
	Total.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 45; Yocum 9. Printed testimony, 2552.

Corrected vote—Curtin 43; Yocum 9.

GREENE TOWNSHIP.

A. A. Kinley.....	No tax non-reg. non-citizen- ship.....	3806-2586	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 182; Yocum 64.

Corrected vote—Curtin 181; Yocum 64.

LOGANSVILLE BOROUGH.

Geo. A. Achenbach.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389-2392	1	
D. M. Brungard.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
James L. Cole.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
Edson Dow.....	No tax; not registered.....	2389-2582	1	
*Wm. R. Goodman.....	No tax.....	2410-2389	1	
Joseph Klechner.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
Isway Karstetter.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
Jonathan Moyer.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
Peter Rishel.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389	1	
David Ludwig.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2389-2408	1	
Henry Karstetter.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2392-2389	1	
Jonathan Gramley.....	Non-res.; not reg.....	2582-3723	1	
John Engle.....	Non-citizenship; not reg.....	2582-3723	1	
L. W. Snook.....	Non-citizenship; not reg.....	2582-3798	1	
John Mapes.....	Non-resident; not reg.....	2582-3799	1	
Samuel Klechner.....	Non-citizenship; not reg.....	2582-3808	1	
Henry Stem.....	Non-citizenship; not reg.....	2582-3817	1	
Joseph Kemmerer.....	Non-cit.; non-res; not reg.....	2582-3818	1	
	Total.....		18	

Official vote—Curtin 64; Yocum 33. Printed testimony page 2577.

Corrected vote—Curtin 46; Yocum 33.

*Admitted by Court auct.

LEIDY TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin.	Yocum
David Walters.....	Non-registered.....	854-2325	1	
M. K. Nelson.....	Non-registered.....	854-2325	1	
	Total Illegal.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 31; Yocum 56. Printed testimony page 913.

Corrected vote—Curtin 29; Yocum 56.

LOGAN TOWNSHIP.

*Joseph Herb.....	Non-residence.....	2409	1	
Jacob Miller.....	Non-citizenship; not reg...	2600-3796	1	
Wm. Spangler.....	Non-resident; not reg.....	2600-3802	1	
Beneville Boone.....	Non-res. non-citz'; not reg	2599-3811	1	
	Total.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 180; Yocum 18. Printed testimony 2558.

Corrected vote—Curtin 176; Yocum 18. *Admitted by contestant.

LOCK HAVEN, 1ST. WARD.

Joseph Yearick.....	Non-registered.....	855-2442	1	
Winslow Poorman.....	Non-registered.....	825-2442	1	
	Total.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 154; Yocum 175. Printed testimony page 914

Corrected vote—Curtin 152; Yocum 175

LOCK HAVEN, 4TH WARD.

Lewis K. Brown.....	Non-registered.....	2597-2442	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 139; Yocum 125. Printed testimony page 2545.

Corrected vote—Curtin 138; Yocum 125.

MILL HALL BOROUGH.

**Add" or Adam McClain	Not of age.....	2331-32-43- 50-78-3691	1	
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Eight votes were cast for Contestant in the new addition to Mill Hall.

Official vote—Curtin 47; Yocum 86. Printed testimony page 916.

Corrected vote—Curtin 46; Yocum 86. *Admitted by Contestant.

NOYES TOWNSHIP.

M. C. Birge.....	Non-resident; not reg.....	2581-2320	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 77; Yocum 18.

Corrected vote—Curtin 76; Yocum 18.

PINE CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
*Jacob A. Kline.....	(Admitted by Contestant)	2349		
	Non-payment of tax.....	2353	1	
*Geo. L. Myer.....	No tax (admitted by Con-	2352		
	testant.....	2354	1	
	Total.....		2	

Official vote—Curtin 103; Yocum 104. Printed testimony page 2568

Corrected vote—Curtin 101; Yocum 104

*Admitted by Contestant.

RENOVO BOROUGH.

John Welch.....	Not registered.....	2601-2312	1	
Thomas Tierney.....	Not registered.....	2601-2312	1	
Christ Koller.....	Not registered no tax.....	2601-2313	1	
Michael Lovett.....	Not registered.....	2601-2316	1	
	Total.....		4	

Official vote—Curtin 291; Yocum 264.

Corrected vote—Curtin 287; Yocum 264.

WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

*Henry J. Snyder.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2360	1	
*John W. Johnson.....	" " ".....	2361	1	
*Thomas G. Simcox.....	" " ".....	2362	1	
*Richard H. Quiggle.....	" " ".....	2363	1	
*John G. Davis, Sr.....	" " ".....	2364	1	
W. E. Lucas.....	No tax and bribery.....	2367-70	1	
Geo. M. Hoagland.....	do and bribery.....	2367-75-70	1	
John Chatham.....	Bribery.....	2367-70	1	
*Abram Simcox.....	No tax and bribery.....	2367-70-76	1	
		2572		
J. B. Antis.....	Nonpayment of tax.....	2371-96-2400	1	
*Wm. Connell.....	" " ".....	2372	1	
Robert T. Quiggle.....	" " Not reg.....	2396-73-2590		
*Wash. S. McClure.....	" " ".....	2374	1	
Wm. McClure.....	" " Not reg.....	2396-73-2590	1	
*Samuel Cable.....	" " ".....	2375	1	
*W. M. Quiggle.....	" " ".....	2377	1	
Jacob B. Curtis.....	" " ".....	2375	1	
*Peter Miller.....	" " ".....	2416-2435	1	
Joseph McKague.....	" " ".....	2394-96-97	1	
		2415-2400	1	
		2416		
Lewis H. Miller.....	" " ".....	2435-36-7	1	
		8-9		
	Total.....		20	

Official vote—Curtin 92; Yocum 68. Printed testimony 2536.

Corrected vote—Curtin 72; Yocum 68.

*Admitted by Contestant.

CORRECTED RESULT IN CLINTON COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Vocum.</i>
Allison township.....	65	110
Bald Eagle township.....	50	79
Beech Creek township.....official	80	61
Beech Creek borough.....do	34	55
Chapman township.....	76	76
Colebrook township.....	21	43
Crawford township.....	49	38
Castanea township.....	31	29
Dunstable township.....official	56	49
Gallaher township.....do	41	18
Grugan township.....	43	9
Greene township.....	181	64
East Keating township.....official	17	26
West Keating township.....do	20	25
Lamar township.....do	125	177
Leidy township.....	29	56
Logan township.....	176	18
Logansville borough.....	46	33
Lock Haven—1st ward.....	152	175
Lock Haven—2d ward.....official	146	138
Lock Haven—3d ward.....do	117	134
Lock Haven—4th ward.....	138	125
Mill Hall borough.....	46	86
Noyes township.....	76	18
Pine Creek township.....	101	104
Porter township.....	93	102
Renovo borough.....	287	264
Wayne township.....	72	68
Woodward township.....	130	83
Total	2498	2263
Majority	235	

ELK COUNTY.

BENZINGER TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin.	Yocum
*Anthony Gibbons.....	Not naturalized.....	2726	1	
Wm. M. Long.....	Not registered.....	2761-2857	1	
Michael Nibert.....	Non-registered.....	2857-2761	1	
Valentine Nibert.....	Non-registered.....	2857-2761	1	
Nick Nibert.....	Non-registered.....	2857-2761	1	
Herman Stockman.....	Non-registered.....	2857-2761	1	
John Ehrensberger.....	Non-registered.....	2857-2761	1	
Charles Weis.....	Non-registered and non-pay ment of tax.....	2857-2761 3847	1	
George Nissel.....	Not naturalized.....	3662	1	
Andrew Brehm.....	Not naturalized.....	3873	1	
George Liber.....	Non-payment of tax.....	3950	1	
Total.....			11	

Official vote—Curtin 295 ; Yocum 34. Printed testimony page 1054

Corrected vote—Curtin 284 ; Yocum 34.

*Admitted by Contestant.

FOX TOWNSHIP.

Andrew Lindner.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2732	1	
Henry Redecker.....	Non-resident.....	2740-2743	1	
Total.....			2	

Official vote—Curtin 126 ; Yocum 155. Printed testimony page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 124 ; Yocum 155.

HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP.

F. V. Leroy.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2840	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 16 ; Yocum 7. Printed testimony 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 15 ; Yocum 7.

HORTON TOWNSHIP.

George Funk.....	Not naturalized.....	1065	1	
James McTellan.....	Non-citizenship.....	1066	1	
B. A. Dill.....	".....	1068	1	
A. S. Horton.....	".....	1069	1	
Robert C. Garvin.....	No district residence.....	1088	1	
James O'Hara.....	Not naturalized.....	1092	1	
Nathan Hipple.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1096	1	
John Fry.....	" " ".....	1096	1	
H. Parsons.....	" " ".....	1099	1	
*James Bennet.....	" " ".....	930	1	
Total Illegal.....			10	

Official vote—Curtin 41 ; Yocum 105. Printed testimony page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 31 ; Yocum 105.

*Admitted by Contestant.

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FORWHOM CAST	
			Curtin.	Yocum.
Orin C. Keltz.....	Not of age.....	922		1
John Miller.....	Not naturalized.....	2828	1	
Total Illegal.....			1	1

Official vote—Curtin 22; Yocum 6. Printed testimony page 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 21; Yocum 5.

RIDGEWAY TOWNSHIP.

Joseph B. Conlin.....	Non- payment of tax.....	932		1
*John E. Boyle.....	*Non-payment of tax.....	2836—2830	1	
*Dennis W. Healey.....	*Not of age.....	2843—2848	1	
Total Illegal.....			2	1

Official vote—Curtin 108; Yocum 236. Printed testimony, 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 106; Yocum 235. *Admitted by Contestant.

ST. MARY'S BOROUGH.

John W. Fox.....	Non-resident; not reg.....	2724—2862	1	
Sebastian Kraft.....	Not registered.....	2857—2761	1	
John Bimel.....	" " ".....	2862	1	
John Walker.....	Bribery.....	2849	1	
Total.....			4	

Official vote—Curtin 223; Yocum 42. Printed testimony 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 219; Yocum 42.

SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Jacob Wingert.....	Non-residence.....	920	1	
Geo. D. Messenger.....	Non-resident.....	2847	1	
Total.....			1	1

Official vote—Curtin 13; Yocum 28. Printed testimony 1054.

Corrected vote—Curtin 12; Yocum 27.

CORRECTED RESULT IN ELK COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	<i>Curtin. Yocum.</i>	
	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Benezette township.....official	65	70
Benzinger township... ..	284	34
Fox township.....	124	155
Highland township.....	15	7
Horton township.....	31	105
Jay township.....official	34	47
Jones township.....do	67	73
Millstone township.....	21	5
Ridgway township.....	106	235
Spring Creek township.....	12	27
Saint Mary's borough.....	219	42
Total.....	978	800
Majority	178	

MIFFLIN COUNTY.

BRATTON TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

<i>Name of Illegal Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Illegality.</i>	<i>Page.</i>	<i>Illegal Vote</i>	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			<i>Curtin</i>	<i>Yocum</i>
Alfred Wilson.....	Non-payment of tax.	4119	1	
	Total.....		1	

Official vote—Curtin 97 ; Yocum 71. Printed testimony 1161.

Corrected vote—Curtin 96 ; Yocum 71.

GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP MIFFLIN COUNTY.

Joseph H. Cargill.....	Non-residence.....	2908	1	
J. C. Barclay.....	Non-residence.....	2909	1	
Michael Messermen.....	Non-payment of tax.....	4125	1	
Martin Price.....	Non residence.....	4192	1	
John Moore.....	No tax; non-register.....	4197-2952	1	
	Total.....		5	

Official vote—Curtin 159 ; Yocum 116. Printed testimony, page 1161.

Corrected vote--Curtin 154 ; Yocum 116.

LEWISTOWN BOROUGH (EAST WARD), MIFFLIN COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
C. Green.....	No tax; none reg.....	4144-2945	1	
Jacob Harlem.....	" "	4203-4148	1	
		2945		
	Total		2	

Official vote—Curtin 187; Yocum 172. Printed testimony 1161.

Corrected vote—Curtin 185; Yocum 172.

WEST WARD, LEWISTOWN BOROUGH.

John McCormick.....	Not natrualized.....	4066-4088	1	
George Corbett.....	Non-residence.....	4201-4097	1	
Henry P. Ort.....	Non-reg; non-payment tax	4131	1	
Calvin Butler.....	*No tax; non-resistered.....	2942-4095	1	
George Mitchell.....	" "	4101-2942	1	
	Total.....		5	

Official vote—Curtin 175; Yocum 155. Printed testimony page 1161

Corrected vote—Curtin 170; Yocum 155

*Admitted by Contestant.

UNION TOWNSHIP.

Charles M. McNabb.....	Non-residence	2892-2895	1	
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Official vote—Curtin 123; Yocum 153. Printed testimony page 1161.

Corrected vote—Curtin 122; Yocum 153.

CORRECTED RESULT IN MIFFLIN COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.		Curtin. Yocum	
Armagh township [old].....	official	104	142
Armagh township, [new].....	do	76	97
Bratton township.....		96	71
Brown township.....	official	107	118
Decatur township.....	do	96	118
Derry township.....	do	196	224
Granville township.....	do	154	116
Lewistown borough—East ward.....		185	172
Lewistown borough—West ward.....		170	155
McVeytown borough.....	official	80	54
Mennow township.....	do	109	119
Newton Hamilton borough.....	do	32	44
Oliver township.....	do	115	90
Union township.....		122	153
Wayne township.....	do	127	94
Total		1768	1767
Majority.....		1	

UNION COUNTY.

GREGG TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Howard Schnee.....	Not registered.....	3001	1	
Samuel Karicher.....	Not registered.....	3001	1	
John King.....	Not registered.....	3002	1	
Total.....			3	

Official vote—Curtin 115; Yocum 106. Printed testimony, 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 112; Yocum 103.

HARTLEY TOWNSHIP.

Isaac F. Keister.....	Non-payment of tax.....	2989	1	
Manaseh Anniller.....	Non-registered.....	2990	1	
Total.....			2	

Official vote—Curtin 122; Yocum 133. Printed testimony 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 120; Yocum 133.

LEWISBURG (NORTH WARD).

*Frank S. High.....	Non-resident.....	2961	1	
William Francis.....	Bribery.....	2962	1	
*David High.....	Non-resident.....	2965	1	
G. W. Walls.....	Bribery.....	2962	1	
Daniel Miller.....	Non-resident not registered	2974	1	
Marks Hart.....	Not naturalized.....	2976	1	
E. L. Angstadt.....	Non-resistered.....	3007-2978	1	
*James Lenhart.....	Not of age.....	1174	1	
Total.....			8	

Official vote—Curtin 130; Yocum 180. Printed testimony 1270.

Corrected vote—Curtin 132; Yocum 180. *Admitted by contestant.

LEWISBURG (SOUTH WARD.)

J. W. Cornelius.....	Non-resident.....	2959	1	
Total illegal.....			1	

Official vote—Curtin 70; Yocum 161. Printed testimony 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 69; Yocum 161.

LEWISBURG (WEST WARD.)

John Gray.....	Non-payment of tax.....	1183		1
William Lloyd.....	Non-resident.....	2978	1	
Total Illegal.....			1	1

Official vote—Curtin 51; Yocum 99. Printed testimony page 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 51; Yocum 98.

MIFFLINBURG (WEST WARD), UNION COUNTY.

Name of Illegal Voter.	Ground of Illegality.	Page.	Illegal Vote.	
			FOR WHOM CAST	
			Curtin	Yocum
Seven votes erroneously counted and returned for Contestant; admitted by Contestant. (See Contestant's Brief, page 56.)		2969		
		2970		
		2971		7

Official vote—Curtin 77; Yocum 80. Printed testimony 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 70; Yocum 80.

UNION TOWNSHIP.

Samuel Lepley.....	Non-registered.....	2984		1
Newton Long.....	Non-registered.....	2985		1
Samuel Hess.....	Non-registered.....	6986		1
Total.....				3

Official vote—Curtin 74; Yocum 88. Printed testimony page 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 71; Yocum 88.

WHITE DEER TOWNSHIP.

William Biddle.....	Non-registered.....	2988		1
Jacob F. Huff.....	Non-registered.....	2988		1
Jacob Rumpfelt.....	Non-registered.....	2994		1
Total.....				3

Official vote—Curtin 149; Yocum 264. Printed testimony 1207.

Corrected vote—Curtin 146; Yocum 264.

CORRECTED RESULT IN UNION COUNTY.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	<i>Curtin.</i>	<i>Yocum.</i>
Buffalo township.....official	141	223
East Buffalo township.....do	66	181
West Buffalo township.....do	106	142
Gregg township.....	112	116
Hartley township.....	120	133
Hartleton township.....official	33	35
Kelly township.....do	55	166
Limestone township.....do	84	102
Lewis township.....do	63	95
Lewisburg—North ward.....	122	180
Lewisburg—South ward.....	69	161
Lewisburg—West ward.....	50	98
Mifflinburg—East ward.....official	59	77
Mifflinburg—West ward.....	70	80
New Berlin.....official	60	88
Union township.....	71	88
White Deer township.....	146	264
Total	1427	2219
Majority.....		792

A P P E N D I X "A."

Correction of Contestant's Summary of Illegal Votes alleged to have been Cast for Contestee, and which are clearly shown to have been Legal Votes, by the Testimony referred to in this Summary.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (WEST WARD), CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
1	Henry Derr.....	Bribery.....	A legal voter; no evidence of bribery.....	405
2	George Stimms.....	Bribery.....	A legal voter; no evidence of bribery.....	401-2

MILESBUURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

3	James McCullough.....	Non-residence.....	Legal voter, qualifications fully proven; voted on age.....	1571
4	Joseph S. Baird.....	Non-residence.....	Legal voter, qualifications fully proven; voted on age.....	1572

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

5	Reg. John Nuttall.....	Non-residence.....	Proof of residence clear, duly registered in Philipsburg borough, new addition, see Rush township; does not state for whom he voted.....	393 399
6	Reg. Reuben Freeman.....	Non-residence.....	Proof of residence clear; legal voter.....	320-1

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
7	Reg. George F. Conoway.....	Non-residence.....	Legal voter; resided in township five years.....	49 50

GREGG TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

8	William Weaver.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; tax paid September 1878, to Collector Letzell.....	107-9
9	James Kennedy.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; tax paid Nov. 6th, 1876.....	3087-8
10	Cornelius Musser.....	Non-registered.....	Legal voter, voted on age; qualified before the board.....	3325
11	Henry Bither.....	Non-registered.....	No proof for whom he voted; taken in rebuttal under objection.....	3329
12	Wm. F. Rearick.....	Non-registered.....	Taken in rebuttal and not in chief; no notice of illegal votes in Gregg township	

HOWARD TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

13	Alexander Cox.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by J. B. Leathers in harvest, 1878, also testimony of J. M. Kline, (pages 254-1334); in case of Dixon Vertz, Contestant claims this as a good payment.....	1723-27
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HUSTON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

14	Martin Houser.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; taxes paid Sept. 25th, 1878.....	33, 34, 1313
15	Robert Cox.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; taxes paid.....	78
16	T. J. Almond.....	Non-registered.....	Legal voter; qualified.....	148

SPRING TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

17	George Chapman.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; taxes paid.....	1580-1
18	John L. Clark.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; not taken in chief.....	3310
19	David Wilson.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter, taxes paid; not taken in chief.....	3316

WALKER TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

20	J. H. Huston.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter, taxed under the estate of his father and paid; no proof for whom he voted.....	129
21	Perry Steele.....	"	Legal voter; taxes paid.....	3312
22	Frank Robb.....	"	Legal voter; taxes duly paid.....	3219
			N. B.—Walker township not in notice of contest.....	

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (NORTH WARD), CENTRE COUNTY.

23	Bayard Hicks.....	Non-residence.....	Residence was Bellefonte; no proof for whom he voted.....	119
24	Daniel McInley.....	Bribery.....	Legal voter; positive denial of the charge.....	1281-2
25	Thomas Miller.....	"	Legal voter; no evidence of bribery.....	400
26	W. W. Wolt.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter; taxes paid and proof made.....	125 165

BENNER TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

27	Reg. E. P. Roan.....	Non-registered.....	Duly registered, taxes paid; qualified.....	1456
28	Reg. William Collins.....	Non-residence.....	Voted on age; resided in district ten years.....	1480
29	Reg. John H. Powers.....	"	Legal voter; resided in district twenty years.....	1481
30	Reg. George H. Musser.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter, taxes paid by his father; has receipt.....	1484-6
31	Reg. Conrad Fogleman.....	Non-residence.....	Legal voter, taxes paid; resided there 20 years.....	1489
32	Reg. Jon. M. Brower.....	"	Registered, Martin Brower, resided in district five years; taxes paid.....	1495-6
33	Reg. B. F. Leitzell.....	"	Legal voter; residence and taxes proven.....	1496-7
34	Reg. Benjamin Bollle.....	"	Resided in district eight years, taxes paid; qualified.....	1497
35	Reg. Frederick Houser.....	"	Legal voter, resided in district 20 years; taxes paid.....	1501
36	Reg. Thos. G. Purdue.....	"	Residence proven, taxes paid; (collector himself).....	1285 1286
37	Reg. A. D. Swartz.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid August 20th, 1878; qualified.....	1507
38	Reg. James Faunon.....	"	Legal voter; qualified.....	1284 1493

BOGGS TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

39	Thomas Kline.....	Non-payment of tax	Legal voter, taxes paid; qualified.....	1572
40	Miles P. Heaton.....	Non-residence.....	Citizen, voted on age; qualified.....	1573-4

HAINES TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Vol.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
41 Reg.	Luther Geiswhite.....	Non-citizenship.....	Voted on age and duly qualified.....	1401
42 Reg.	W. H. Cassler.....	Non-registered.....	Registered W. H. Kasler; see Ex. p. No. 2.....	1435 1395
43 Reg.	Jas. E. Lengert.....	".....	Registered James E. Lenker.....	1435 3369
44 Reg.	John Vance.....	Non-residence.....	Residence and payment of tax fully proven.....	3344
45 Reg.	William Wolf.....	Non-registered.....	Full name George William Wolf, on the registry (G. W. Wolf; not proven for whom he voted.....	1397 1436
			N.B.—In notice of contest there is no allegation of any illegal voters for Contestee. Beside this, Contestant after calling the voters, refused to ask their qualifications. Testimony taken in rebuttal and not in chief.	

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

46 Reg.	Jesse McCloskey.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Taxes paid; duly qualified.....	64, 75, 76, 77, 1311
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MARION TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

47 Reg.	J. S. McCalmont.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Legal voter; taxes paid August 8th, 1878.....	3109
48 Reg.	Lewis Aikey.....	".....	Voter not called; no proof for whom he voted.....	1304
49 Reg.	Jeremiah Smeltzer.....	".....	Taxes paid; no proof for whom he voted.....	1304
			N.B.—Contestant in his notice of contest, makes no allegation as to this district. Testimony taken in rebuttal and not in chief.	

PENN TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

50	F. P. Otto.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Voted on age, resided in district; Contestant refused to ask voter his qualifications.....	3344
51	C. A. Sturgis.....	Non-residence.....	Resided in district; Contestant refused to qualify the voter.....	3366
			N.B.—No allegation in notice of contest of any illegal votes for Contestee.	

POTTER TOWNSHIP (NORTHERN PRECINCT), CENTRE COUNTY.

52	A. W. Garver.....	Non-residence.....	Resident, voted on age; qualifications fully proven.....	3232
53	Reg. Ezra Krumbine.....	Non-registered.....	Registered under letter "G" instead of "K," as Ezra Grumbine, see registry.....	1442
N.B.—No allegation as to this township.				

POTTER TOWNSHIP (SOUTHERN PRECINCT), CENTRE COUNTY.

54	Reg. Isiah Garris.....	Non-payment of tax	Registered as Isiah Cares; duly qualified.....	1444
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RUSH TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

55	James Keith.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid Sept. 27th, 1878; see receipt.....	331
56	R. M. Keith.....	" "	Taxes paid; receipt in evidence.....	332
57	R. M. Murphy.....	" "	Taxes paid; receipt in evidence.....	336
58	Orren Vale.....	" "	Taxes paid; receipt in evidence.....	344-5
59	Phillip Idlings.....	" "	Taxes paid, to Wm. Spotts; legal voter.....	346-7
60	John Rose.....	" "	Taxes were duly paid in Milesburg.....	348
61	Levi Reynolds.....	" "	Taxes duly paid Octo. 4th, 1878, by J. N. Casanova, acting as the agent of the voter.....	387
62	Luke Farrell.....	" "	Does not swear for whom he voted.....	335

UNION TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

63	George Hosband.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by his father, August 1878.....	44, 45, 75
64	Reg. Daniel Powers.....	Non-registered.....	Registered, resides in Benner township; legal voter.....	1504

RECAPITULATION.

Contestant claims illegal votes for Yocum.....	70
Number in this summary shown to be legal.....	64

Illegal for Yocum.....
 Number admitted illegal for Curtin.....
 For further record of illegal votes for Curtin, see general summary of Contestee.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
1 Reg.	Wm. Trump.....	Under age.....	(1). Voter does not belong to this district at all but to Bradford district, as to which district no registry or list of voters offered by either side... (2). Voter was of legal age being born Nov. 6th, 1857..... (3). Proof was in its nature chief, and offered in rebuttal. (4). No allegation in Contestant's notice as to illegal votes in Bradford district.	3682

GIRARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

2 Reg.	George W. Jury.....	Non-payment of tax	(1.) Voted on age, was born Jan., 1857..... (2.) Paid tax and fully qualified (3.) Identified with Washington Jury on registry (page 651) by tax receipt offered.....	457
3 Reg.	Simon P. Jury.....	Non-payment of tax	No proof as to non-payment of tax, and voter is on the registry list by name of S. P. Shura, which is the same name.....	458 454 652

GRAHAM TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

4 Reg.	Joseph Zolner.....	Non-citizenship and no tax paid.....	(1). No proof whatever as to the charges..... (2). Voters name appears on registry, as Jos. Zalmer.....	439 665
5 Reg.	Cyrus Hall.....	Non-payment of tax	Not proven; the voter swears he was informed by Morris Dunlap; that his taxes were paid, (page 442) and W. W. Hoover, collector, swears (page 1760) that at request of Morris Dunlap, Hall's taxes were paid and so marked on June 4th, 1878	
6 Not.	John S. Davy.....	Non-payment of tax	(1). Not proven; voter swears he paid \$1 on his taxes in April, 1878, and that this was more than amount of State and County taxes, and directed the payment so applied..... (2). Voter is fully qualified by the proof.....	476 475

GULICH TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

7	Reg. Sam'l. Whitesides.....	Not naturalized.....	Not proven; voter swears he always voted on his fathers papers, and he was born in 1808 or 1809, and his father filed his declaration for naturalization in 1828. If born in 1809, then voter was under 21 years when his father naturalized, and legally qualified thereby.....	559
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WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

8	Reg. Chas. Miller.....	Non-payment of tax	Not proven; voter swears a receipt was left at his house before the election, and that J. S. Moore told him his tax was paid, (page 526) and J. S. Moore swears (page 530) he paid voter's tax on Oct. 5th, 1878.	
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CLEARFIELD BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

9	Reg. J. B. Larimer.....	Non-payment of tax	(1) Not proven; voter swears he paid two dollars on a bill of \$6.75 in August, 1878; that the bill included several years' tax, including State and county..... (2) Contestant claims this a good payment. See James Moyer, and James Nailer..... (3) Contestant's notice of contest contains no allegations of illegal votes in this district.	480 1735 1909
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HOUTZDALE BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

10	Not. John Barry.....	Non-residence.....	No proof as to how he voted.....	539
11	Reg. B. V. Black.....	Non-payment of tax	(1) Only proof is that he got a tax receipt day before election; no proof that he had not paid other tax in legal time..... (2) Objection to calling of witness because only one day's notice given	591
12	Reg. Peter Cameron.....	Non-payment of tax	No proof of illegality, nor as to how he voted.....	591

OSCEOLA BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
13 Reg.	George Merryman.....	Non-payment of tax	Not proven; voter swears he got a tax receipt, signed by the proper collector, and was informed his taxes were paid, and no evidence to impeach the genuineness of receipt.....	453

BECCARIA TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

14 Reg.	W. H. Davis.....	Non-payment of tax	No legal notice of calling witness.....	3606
15 Reg.	W. P. Heverly.....	Non-payment of tax	Voter can't say if he paid tax or not.....	3609
16 Reg.	John Shea.....	Non-payment of tax	Voter can't say if he paid tax or not.....	3610
17 Reg.	Q. L. Herdman.....	Non-payment of tax	No legal notice of calling of witness.....	3500
18 Reg.	Jester Herdman.....	Non-payment of tax	(1). No legal notice of calling witness.....	3501
			(2). Voter can't say whether he paid tax or not.....	3502
			(3). No proof for whom he voted.....	3502
			As to all the above named voters, in this district alleged to be illegal	
			(1) Contestant's notice of contest, contains no allegation of illegal votes in Beccaria district	
			(2) Each of the voters were called on rebuttal, and the proof is in its nature, matter in chief.	

BRADY TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

19 Reg.	Frank Leech.....	Non-payment of tax	(1). No proof for whom he voted.....	495
			(2). No proof of non-payment of tax.....	495
20 Reg.	Erastus Imboden.....	"	(3). His own affidavits in regular form filed, show him a legal voter.....	2025
			(1). The voter is on the registry list.....	2026
			And so swears, (page 3643) and is specially identified with registry by occupation and place of working	674
			(2) Being registered he cannot be attacked as is done, on rebuttal, it being matter in chief.....	

21	Reg. Geo. W. Weaver.....	"	"	(3). If unregistered, Contestant having offered registry and list of voters for Brady township in chief, could not prove the illegality of such voter on rebuttal	3635
22	Not. John Drummond.....	Non-residence.....		(1). Voter swears he offered to pay tax in legal time, and collector refused to take it, unless he would pay on other property he did not own (2) On registry as "Geo. W. Weber," which is the same name, (page 617) and is so treated in Contestant's notice of calling witness.....	
23	Reg. Rule S. Cummings.....	Bribery.....		(1) No legal proof as to residence out of district and affidavits in regular form filed (page 2025) show he had a legal residence in district. The same kind of testimony by which the votes of James Quinland and Daul. Harrison (pages 554 and 558) on the other side, the only difference being that affidavits of latter are irregular.....	2017 2025
24	Reg. Isaac Hendricks.....	Bribery.....		(Even if the proof of bribery be sufficient there is no sufficient proof of how these men voted (page 495). Neither of them are called nor their absence explained.	
DECATUR TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.					
25	Reg. Wm. Williams. Sr.....	Non-payment of tax		(These voters both swear they paid their tax and they think it was in legal time (pages 600 and 614), and all doubt is removed by the collector who swears (pages 2165) that Sankey paid his tax in the spring of 1877, and Williams paid his in January, 1877.	
26	Reg. J. A. Sankey.....	Non-payment of tax			

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
27 Reg.	A. J. Gulich.....	Non-payment of tax	Voted on age, born Nov. 28, 1856, and qualifications fully proven.....	470
28 Not.	Renben A. Norris.....	Non-payment of tax	Vo ed on age, born Jan., 1857, and qualifications fully proven.....	508
29 Reg.	George Noll.....	Non-residence.....	(The house in which these voters lived was on a farm belonging to and assessed in Lawrence township, although the borough line cut off the house. This is a much weaker case of non-residence than Stacey T. Bowman and Milton H. Hampton, (pages 1773 and 2214) on the other side, claimed by Contestant to be legal voters.	
31 Reg.	Henry L. Litz.....	Non-payment of tax	(As to these six (6) voters and all alleged illegal voters in Lawrence district, Contestant's notice of contest does not allege any illegal votes or illegalities in this district, and Harvey F. Passmore's non-residence is not so clear as that of Thos. A. Smith, (page 2163) on the other side, claimed by Contestant to be a legal voter	
32 Reg.	Robert A. Greene.....	" "		
33 Reg.	Wm. Swailes.....	" "		
34 Reg.	Isiah Fullerton.....	Non-residence.....		
35 Reg.	Harvey F. Passmore.....	Non-residence.....		
36	Milton H. Miller.....	Illeg.reg. Curtin vote		

MORRIS TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

37 Not.	George Trimble, Sr.....	Not naturalized.....	Voter called in rebuttal, and registry and list of voters offered by Contestant in chief. The matter is in chief and not in rebuttal.....	3670
38 Reg.	James Thompson.....	Non-payment of tax	(1) Voter swears he gave collector an order in payment of tax, which was so accepted and tax marked paid on duplicate in legal time.....	436
			(2) Collector swears he marked the taxes paid on this arrangement, and paid over taxes to county treasurer, (page 1748) admitting, however, that he was disappointed—that voter did not vote as expected.....	
39 Not.	Ephraim Trout.....	Non-residence.....	Not proven; voter's wife lived in another district, having deserted voter in April, 1878; but voter's residence in district and other qualifications fully proven.....	438 2176

PIKE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

40 Reg.	Rev. Smith Pratt.....	Non-payment of tax	Vote proven illegal, but voter swears positively he voted for Contestant.....	448
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41	Not. Sam'l. D. Bailey.....	Non-payment of tax (1). No legal notice of calling witness. Place of residence not being given.....	3621
		(2). Proof is that voter paid his tax Sept. 6th, 1878.....	3621
		(3). Contestant attacks his vote in rebuttal which is incompetent. Contestant having offered registry and list of voters in chief	
42	Reg. Augustus Bayh.....	Non-payment of tax (1). Not proven, voter swears he paid tax in legal time, Sept. 22d, 1878.....	3644
		(2). Voter identifies himself with the registry name "Augustus Bayh.".....	3644
		(3). In any event cannot be attacked in rebuttal	3663
43	Reg. A. D. Fink.....	Non-payment of tax (1). Not proven, voter does not belong to this district, but was a legal voter in Curwensville where he voted.....	452
		(2). Proof is that he paid tax in legal time, and was a legal resident of the proper district.....	452
44	Reg. H. T. Bloom.....	{ No proof of how either of these voters voted, nor of the charge made	413
45	Reg. Jacob White.....		
46	Reg. John Appleton.....		
		Only proof of bribery touching this voter, is, that T. J. Frew and Arnold Bloom, two (2) active supporters of Contestant, offered him money and dry goods to vote the Democratic ticket.....	2085

SUMMARY OF ILLEGAL YOCUM VOTES IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

As claimed by Contestant, irrespective of non-registry count.....	64
From which deduct votes shown legal by this summary.....	46
Illegal Yocum votes admitted by Contestee.....	18
Illegal (voting votes (irrespective of non-registered) admitted by Contestant.....	20
For correct number of illegal votes for Contestant see summary of Contestee.	

LOCK HAVEN (THIRD WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>Reg. or Not.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
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1 Reg. John McMasters..... Non-payment of tax. No evidence for whom he voted, no notice in notice of contest, taken in rebuttal and not in chief..... 3766

LOCK HAVEN (FOURTH WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

2 Reg. J. O. Kinley..... Non-payment of tax Registered John Kienly; no proof that his taxes were not paid..... 2598
 3 Reg. Charles Bower..... " " Registered, legal voter and qualified..... 780-7
 4 Reg. John Edward Johnson... " " This voter called in rebuttal and not in chief..... 3790
 5 Reg. John Harvey..... " " Legal voter, voted on age; qualified..... 794

BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

6 Reg. J. M. A. Miller..... Non-payment of tax Legal voter; taxes paid..... 2433-4

BEECH CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

7 Reg. John Romig..... Non-payment of tax Legal voter, for 15 years paid taxes, (page 797); registered John Romig in..... 2579

CHAPMAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

8 Charles Kitchen..... Non-payment of tax Taxes paid; duly qualified on cross-examination..... 826
 9 Reg. George W. Mitchell..... " " Not proven for whom he voted; no evidence as to non-payment of tax... 820-1
 10 Reg. Henry R. Cady..... Non-residence..... Resident, taxes paid, qualified; taken in rebuttal and not in chief..... 3740-1
 N.B.—No allegation as to this district in notice of contest.

PINE CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

11 Reg. Wm. Rice..... Non-payment of tax No evidence impeaching voter; taken in rebuttal and not in chief..... 3750

12	David T. Crist.....	"	"	No evidence for whom he voted, nor that taxes were not paid; taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3764
LOCK HAVEN, (SECOND WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.					
13	John Pettett.....	Non-payment of tax	Not shown for whom he voted; no evidence taken as to John Pettett, and no allegation in notice of contest, see.....		784
MILL HALL BOROUGH, CLINTON COUNTY.					
14	Reg. William Cridler.....	Non-residence.....		These voters were all citizens, residents of the said borough of Mill Hall, all registered, and all qualified electors therein. They voted in their own proper election district, and could have voted no where else. The subsequent change of the limits of the borough in 1879, could not affect the rights of these voters, on either side, at the election held in 1878. They had no control over the formation of the election district; they were not parties to it, and could not be disfranchised by anything done subsequent to the election. Had the change been made prior to the election, we admit they would have had no right to have voted in the borough, but having voted in their own proper district, nothing that the council did could affect their previous rights. See testimony on pages 2328-2331-2453 to 2457. We also refer to the printed argument	
15	Reg. W. A. Calderwood.....	"	"		
16	Reg. M. Carstater.....	"	"		
17	Reg. John Stiver.....	"	"		
18	Reg. H. M. Barrett.....	"	"		
19	Reg. George Wolf.....	"	"		
20	Reg. Samuel Harris.....	"	"		
21	Reg. John Snodgrass.....	"	"		
22	Reg. John S. Garth.....	"	"		
23	Reg. Q. S. Garth.....	"	"		
24	Reg. W. A. Masden.....	"	"		
25	Reg. Henry Stiver.....	"	"		
26	Reg. A. C. Mann.....	"	"		
27	Reg. Chas. B. McCormick.....	"	"		
28	Reg. Wm. Johnson.....	"	"		
29	Reg. Samuel Stiver.....	"	"		
30	Reg. T. J. Elder.....	"	"		
31	Reg. Huston Dressler.....	"	"		
32	Reg. W. D. McCormick.....	"	"		
33	Reg. G. W. Barrett.....	"	"		

CRAWFORD TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

No.	Reg. or Not.	Name of Voter.	Ground of Alleged Illegality.	Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.	Printed Testimony. Page.
34		Wm. Wilt.....	Under age.....	No allegation in notice of contest, and therefore improper evidence.....	3705
35		W. L. Shadle.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Taken in rebuttal and not in chief; no allegation in notice of contest.....	3709
36		Peter E. Irvin.....	"	Resident; taxes paid; taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3383
37		M. A. Thomas.....	"	Was resident of the township, and improperly proven in rebuttal.....	
38		Geo. S. Shadle.....	"	Taxes paid to George Brosius, collector for 1876-1878; resident of township 9 years; taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3715-16

GALLAGHER TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

39		Robert Moore.....	Non-residence.....	Testimony shows he was a qualified voter of the district; did not vote for Congress. Testimony of witness to non-residence impeached. No allegation in notice of contest.....	799-787 790-793 2429-32
40		Geo. W. Moore.....	"	Testimony shows he was a qualified voter of the district; did not vote for Congress. Testimony of witness to non-residence impeached. No allegation in notice of contest.....	799-787 790-793 2429-32
41		Robert M. Moore.....	"	Testimony shows he was a qualified voter of the district; did not vote for Congress. Testimony of witness to non-residence impeached. No allegation in notice of contest.....	779-787 790-793 2429 2432
42		Calvin Packard.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Lived in the district 9 years, voted on age; made affidavit.....	795
43		Geo. W. Green.....	Non-payment of tax and non-residence	Voted on age; voted the Democratic ticket.....	796

GRUGAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

44		George Kelly.....	Non-payment of tax non-citizenship....	No evidence of non-payment of tax, and none of non-citizenship. Resident of township for 22 years. No allegation in notice of contest, taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3822
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LOGAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

	Robert H. Brown.....	Non-payment of tax and non-citizenship	No evidence of non-payment of tax, voted on age; on poll list as Karl H. Brown. No allegation in notice of contest, taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3748
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LOGANSVILLE BOROUGH, CLINTON COUNTY.

46	Jesse M. Adams.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid.....	3724—3725
47	Wade Barnum.....	" " and non-residence	No evidence of non-payment of tax attempted in rebuttal; citizen of the district, registered Wade Bindham. No allegation in notice of contest	2582—3702

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

48	John Boyer.....	Non-payment of tax	No evidence of non-payment of tax; owns real estate in township. Lived there 28 years, taken in rebuttal.....	3761—2 3820
49	Reg. Samuel Workman.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid, qualified voter; lived in township 3 years.....	
50	Edward Seybold.....	Non-payment of tax	No evidence of non-payment of tax, not proven for whom he voted, qualified elector; no allegation in notice of contest. Taken in rebut- tal and not in chief.....	3728—3733

WAYNE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

No.	Name of Voter.	Ground of Alleged Illegality.	Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.	Printed Testimony. Page.
51	John Strong.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid.....	806-7
52	Isaac Strong.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; tax receipt.....	808
53	George Ashton.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; receipt.....	811-918
54	Wm. A. Edgar.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; receipt.....	812-918
55	Robert F. Strong.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid, for 1877-1878; receipt.....	813-814-918
56	Eli Heninger.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid, for 1877-1878; receipt.....	815-816-918
57	Jas. L. O'Donald.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid, for 1876-1878.....	816-817-818
58	Frank Edgar.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; receipt.....	821-822-918
59	James R. Frederick.....	Non-payment of tax	No proof of non-payment of tax or how he voted.....	823
60	Hugh E. O'Donnell.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by J. R. Fredericks.....	823
61	Reuben Longnecker.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by J. R. Fredericks.....	823
62	John Hoyt.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by J. R. Fredericks.....	8314-15
63	N. P. Clendennin.....	Non-payment of tax	No evidence of non-payment of tax or how he voted.....	3035-6-7
64	Wm. Chataham.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid by J. R. Fredericks.....	3697-3009
65	George Ritter.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid in 1877; no proof for whom he voted; testimony taken in rebuttal and not in chief.....	3700
66	Joseph Simcox.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid; receipt.....	3704
67	Thos. K. Shortlidge.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid Sept. 6, 1877; proved in rebuttal.....	3739
68	B. F. Tonner.....	Non-payment of tax	Proved in rebuttal.....	
69	James Piper.....	Non-payment of tax	Taxes paid.....	
		N. B.—No allegation in notice of contest as to Wayne township. The testimony as to the last eight (8) improperly taken in rebuttal.		

RECAPITULATION.

Alleged illegal vote for Yocum in Contestant's Brief.....	69
Of these shown to be legal.....	69
Illegal votes for Yocum.....	0

Number of illegal votes for Curtin, admitted.....	25
Deduct Mill Hall.....	8
Number illegal for Curtin, admitted.....	17

For full record of illegal votes for Contestant, see *summary of Contestec.*

BENEZETTE TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.		1108
1	John Tuttle.....	Resident of Benezette; taxes paid.....
BENZINGER TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.		
2	David Leslie.....	Non-payment of tax Taxes paid.....
3	Joshua Sikes.....	Non-payment of tax Taxes paid.....
4	Joseph Corly.....	Non-citizenship and Citizen and taxes paid.....
5	Matthias Gurg.....	State residence.....
6	Michal Willart.....	Non-residence
7	John Hoffman.....	Non-payment of tax Taxes paid in 1877; improperly taken in rebuttal.....
		Don't know for whom he voted; this voter called in rebuttal and not in chief.....
		2749 2751 2758 2724 3808-4038 3947-3948
FOX TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.		
8	Thomas Thomas.....	Taxes paid in 1877.....
9	Edward Goodman.....	Citizen, resided in election district over two (2) months; made affidavit &c.....
10	Thomas Moriarity.....	Citizen, taxes paid; qualified on day of election.....
11	Franklin Showers.....	Owner of real estate in election district, and thinks his taxes paid.....
12	Ephraim Denton.....	Non-payment of tax Citizen; taxes paid.....
		927 927-928 928-9 943 944-945

41	Richard Himes.....	Non-residence.....	Residence in this district; taxes paid.....	930-931
JAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.				
42	Edward W. Gray.....	Non-residence.....	Residence in Jay township, parents reside there, single; improperly proven in rebuttal.....	3472
RIDGEWAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.				
43	W. F. Mercer.....	Non-residence.....	A citizen and resident of Ridgeway township for four years.....	933-4-5
SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.				
44	Wakefield Brockway.....	Non-residence.....	Resident of election district for two years, taxes paid, made proper affidavits on day of election as to citizenship.....	1042
45	Reg. Jacob Mook.....	" "	No evidence of non-residence. Taxes paid; taken in rebuttal and not in chief; 4055, duly registered.....	929-930
ST. MARY'S BOROUGH, ELK COUNTY.				
46	Jacob Miller.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Testimony improperly taken on rebuttal; No allegation in notice of contest as to this election district.....	3829
47	Charles D. Uly.....	" "	Testimony improperly taken on rebuttal; no allegation in notice of contest as to this election district.....	3843
HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.				
48	Reg. Edward Gorton.....	Non-residence.....	Lived in this election district over three years, duly registered; taxes paid.....	2837-8
49	Reg. Benjamin Knickerbocker	Non-residence also a repeater.....	Was duly registered under name of B. J. Knickerbocker and was a qualified voter.....	2860
				2861-2845
RECAPITULATION.				
Alleged illegal Yocum votes.....				53
Shown to be legal by this summary.....				50
Number of illegal.....				—
Illegal votes for Curtin, admitted in Contestant's Brief.....				3
For full record of illegal votes for Contestant, see summary of Contestee.				4

LEWISBURG (SOUTH WARD), UNION COUNTY.

<i>Reg. No.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Ground of Alleged Illegality.</i>	<i>Reasons and References to Testimony, showing that the Vote is Not Illegal.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>
1	Horrace C. Hall.....	Non-residence.....	Resided in Lewisburg, married man, kept house and was duly qualified; made affidavits.....	1177 1179—1214
2	Joseph T. Gallagher.....	" "	Resided in Lewisburg over one year with his family, duly qualified, and affidavits made as required by law.....	1181-2, 1219
LEWISBURG (WEST WARD), UNION COUNTY.				
3	Reg. Wm. F. Bell.....	Non-citizenship.....	Is a native born citizen, lived in Lewisburg from spring of 1877; taxes paid.....	1184—1185

RECAPITULATION.

Alleged illegal Yocum votes.....	4
Shown to be legal.....	3
Illegal.....	—
For full record of illegal Curtin votes, see summary of <i>Contestee</i>	1
	10

LEWISTOWN (EAST WARD), MIFFLIN COUNTY.

1	Reuben Houser.....	Not of age.....	No evidence that he voted, or for whom; taken in rebuttal and no notice in notice of contest.....	4201-2
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GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

2	John Miller.....	Non-payment of tax.....	Taxes paid by Mr. Woods, lived and voted in district for 45 years, (pages 4204-5); see testimony of John S. Garret.....	4205
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RECAPITULATION.

Alleged illegal Yocum voters.....	2
All shown to be legal.....	2
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Number of illegal votes.....	0
Illegal Curtin votes admitted.....	1
For full record of illegal Curtin votes, see summary of <i>Contestee</i>	

APPENDIX "B."

LIST OF UNREGISTERED VOTERS, CLAIMED BY CONTESTANT IN HIS BRIEF, AS
CORRECTED BY CONTESTEE.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH (WEST WARD) CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
87	Roland Craig.....	Registered R. L. Craig; qualified.	1586	
76	Daniel Hoover.....			
98	Charles Hall.....	Qualified.....	1584	
79	Peter Foot.....			
80	Josiah Fute.....	Registered Josiah Toot.....		2

MILESBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

123	I. P. Bouleau.....			
117	William Furey.....			
100	James Heverly.....			
121	Isaac Sager.....	Registered Harvey Sager.....		
119	John H. Hahn.....	Registered Henry J. Hahn.....		
42	Byers Price.....	Registered E. B. Price.....		
115	I. W. Shope.....	Registered J. W. Shope.....		3

HOWARD BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

7	James Morrison.....	Registered.....		
13	John A. McGee.....			
69	J. B. Akers.....			
47	George W. Council.....			
17	John B. Holder.....			
60	W. N. Neth.....			
80	M. J. Hays.....			6

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY.

141	Austin Atherton.....	Qualified.....	1567	
53	W. G. Bardry.....			
205	J. C. Braden.....	Registered John Bradin.....		
51	John Crain.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	298	
221	James Carter.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	295	
294	Andrew Clare.....	Registered Rev. Dr. Clerce.....	1430	
55	John Fish.....	Registered John Funk.....		
133	Lucie Frank.....	Registered Lewis Frank.....		
308	John Ginghery.....			
274	Isiah Hunt.....			
336	William Hess.....			
209	T. C. Jones.....			
224	W. H. Imboden.....	Registered H. Imboden.....		

PHILIPSBURG BOROUGH, CENTRE COUNTY. (CONTINUED.)

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of registration and qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
310	J. B. Kerns.....			
47	Henry Lehman.....	Qualified.....	288	
320	William C. Lehr.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	296-7	
332	E. Plummer.....	Qualified.....	1567-8	
333	James Ryan.....	Qualified.....	294-5	
313	James Trimmer.....			
43	Orlando Weston.....	Qualified.....	1567-8	
248	James N. Way.....	Qualified.....	1567-8	
116	William M. Ross.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	297	
	Haymer Saway, (no such voter).....	Qualified; affidavit. Haymer Sankey.....	296	7

N. B.—The testimony shows that the Commissioners of Centre county failed to furnish the election board of Philipsburg with a registry list of voters, and the board was compelled to use one that was mutilated. See testimony of Albert Owen, page 307, on part of contestant. Also the testimony of Benjamin Jones, page 1518-1519, and J. H. Wagoner, page 1527-8.

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

48	Mont Askey.....	Voted on age.....		
50	George Rosencrans.....	Qualified.....	1587-9	
20	John Olinger.....	Registered John Olenberger.....		

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

89	Samuel J. Atlee.....	Registered J. S. Atlee.....		
91	F. G. Arehey.....			
240	A. G. Arehey.....			
52	W. H. Bennett.....			
231	W. H. Baumgardner.....			
6	J. C. Eckel.....			
20	Andrew Firms.....	Registered Andrew Fimms.....		
196	Charles Fryer.....			
56	George Greim.....			
65	James Glassgow.....	Qualified.....	1594	
24	Daniel Harpster.....			
39	J. G. Hess.....	Registered John Hess.....		
125	J. C. Houser.....	Registered Cyrus Houser.....		
186	George E. Harper.....			
230	S. K. Hess.....			
174	Adam H. Krumrine.....			
36	W. C. Myers.....	Registered Calvin Myers.....		
119	D. W. Miller.....	Qualified.....	1352	
133	William Miller.....			
166	Jonathan Musser.....	Registered Jno. Musser.....		
241	Markle, A. R.....	Qualified.....	1595	
22	J. H. Ross.....	Registered J. Ross.....		
9	O. M. Whipple.....			
46	Henry Webb.....	Registered Henry Nebb.....		
50	Jacob F. Weibly.....			
199	George Wilson.....			
1	R. P. Craig.....	Registered R. B. Craig.....		
49	E. C. Fry.....			
118	Henry A. Garner.....	Registered H. D. Garner.....		
88	George H. Woods.....			
90	J. C. Johnson.....	Registered Joel Johnson.....		17

HALF MOON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Tes- timony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
43	Russell Bigelow.....	Voted on age.....		
60	John Cowfer.....	Voted on age.....		
39	J. H. Deaver.....	Registered J. H. Levier.....		
71	David Meiss.....	Voted on age.....		
124	Chas. Peary.....			
96	Frank Stevens.....	Registered Blair Stevens.....		
77	Wm. Wrye.....			
127	Durbin Wrye.....			
128	J. W. Bean.....	Registered Jacob Beans.....		
94	John M. C. Miller.....	Registered John Milter.....		
118	J. F. Payne.....	Registered Fletcher Payne.....		
85	B. A. Swoop.....	Registered P. W. Swoop.....		
137	T. W. Gray.....	Registered J. W. Gray.....		3

HUSTON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

24	Charles Richards.....	Voted on age. Qualified; affidavit.....	153	
59	Charles Swisher.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	151-2	
150	Stuart Reid.....	Registered S. Reid; Qualified.....	151	

HOWARD TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

116	Wash Daughenbaugh...	Registered J. W. Daughenbaugh....		
28	Jesse Lucas.....	Registered J. W. Lucas.....		
151	Alfred Shank.....			
159	John Barklow.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	192-3	
124	Wm. Chatman.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	194	
174	Hays Shank.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	193	1

PATTON TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

42	Geo. W. Behrer.....	Registered George Bhres.....		
98	Law Beck.....			
75	Simon Nolen.....			
57	Harry Reeser.....			
69	Alfred Miller.....	Registered Albert Miller.....		
87	William Rockey.....	Qualified.....	1346-7	
94	Caleb Kephart.....	Registered C. H. Kephart.....		3

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

26	I. A. Crissman.....	Registered Crissman.....		
138	Pat'k. Heaton.....	Registered J. P. Heaton.....		
161	John Harshbarger.....			
200	Thomas Healy, Jr.....			
194	Philip Krollman.....	Registered Philip Crollman.....		
176	James Linn.....			
171	David McCloskey.....			
38	John Redley.....	Registered John Riley.....		
144	Wm. Thompson.....			
147	Alfred Thompson.....	Registered James A. Thompson.....		
39	H. M. Watson.....	Registered Mitchell Watson.....		
66	Philip Walker.....	Registered Potter Walker.....		5

SPRING TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

No. on Poll List	Alleged Name of Voter.	Proof of Registration and Qualification.	Printed Testimony. Page.	Corrected Total.
333	Wm. H. Alters.....	Qualified; voted on age.....		
298	S. A. Bell.....	Registered A. J. Bell.....		
325	Wm. Bitler.....	Registered William Bartlett.....		
400	Andrew Breon.....			
409	Wm. Barnhart.....	Voted for contestant.....	1327	
332	L. P. Corman.....	Qualified; voted on tax.....		
346	John Corman.....	Registered as John W. Corman.....		
351	Chas. Corman.....	Qualified; voted on tax; voted for contestant.....	1340	
395	B. F. Creamer.....	Qualified; voted on tax.....		
160	Wilson Davis.....			
110	Andre Emil.....			
193	Henry Everly.....	Registered Henry Heverly.....		
282	Calvin Eckly.....			
171	Stephen Frost.....	Voted for contestant.....	1326-7	
324	Frank Folchert.....	Voted on age.....		
342	J. Milton Furey.....	Registered Morris Furey		
177	G. P. Gentzell.....	Registered Perry Gentzell.....		
222	David Hendershott.....			
244	John Hines.....	Voted for contestant.....	1327	
313	H. K. Hoy.....	Registered Harvey Hoy.....		
318	Abraham Hammett.....			
397	Uriah Honsel.....	Voted on age.....		
417	Israel Hoover.....			
108	M. A. Kirk.....			
370	Michael Kelly.....	Voted on age.....		
304	Richard Lutz.....			
254	W. H. Mallory.....			
305	James Minich.....			
322	Jonathan Neff.....			
328	John Osmer.....	Voted on age.....		
413	John Pease.....	Registered John Spease.....		
241	Wm. Rauckhauser.....	Voted on age.....		
355	Samuel Rice.....			
378	Irwin Taylor.....	Registered H. J. Taylor.....		
405	George Tressler.....			
122	Sandford Wilson.....	Voted on age.....		
209	George Eby.....	Registered George Evey.....		
279	G. W. Noll.....	Registered George Noll.....		
365	John Roundtree.....	Registered John Roundtop.....		14

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

50	T. G. Vaughn.....			
76	Daniel Moore.....			
21	Jonah Griffith.....	Registered John Griffith.....		
26	A. R. Price.....	Registered Ruas Price.....		
91	Herbon Blower.....	Voted for contestant.....		2

DERRY TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony, Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
97	J. J. Akers.....			
325	Stewart Albright.....	Voted on age.....		
345	George W. Ayres.....			
54	Daniel Ayres.....			
351	W. R. Price.....			
353	D. R. Price.....	Registered D. A. Price.....		
425	Wm. Prettyleaf.....	Registered Wm. Prettyleaf.....		
407	Jno. Pennypacker.....			
416	David Rupert.....			
257	Jos. Bushman.....	Registered Jas. Bushman.....		
258	R. Barger.....	Registered Reuben Barger.....		
1	Homer Cropper.....			
20	W. Carline.....			
40	John A. Cramer.....	Voted on age.....		
82	S. Chestnut.....	Registered Isaac Chestnut.....		
331	J. C. Cubbison.....	Registered B. C. Cubbison.....		
274	James Dreese.....	Registered Jas. Druse.....		
358	Thomas True.....			
145	R. C. Graham.....	Registered Robert Graham.....		
326	M. Garver.....	Voted on age.....		
413	E. F. Gross.....	Registered Edmund Gross.....		
195	John Hall.....			
375	M. C. Radcliff.....			
63	Jacob Shoop.....			
74	Jas. Stewart.....	Registered Jos. Stewart.....		
88	J. W. Sayer.....	Registered J. W. Sager.....		
101	Jacob Smith.....			
361	J. Stuck.....	Registered Jacob Stuck.....		
417	James Smith.....	Registered Robert J. Smith.....		
372	W. Hewitt.....			
96	Jerry Janoe.....			
75	John Koon.....			
162	H. Kaley.....			
403	Sam'l. Tomlinson.....			
105	Christ Miller.....			
120	S. J. Myers.....	Registered Irwin Myers.....		
123	P. T. Mertz.....	Registered Philip Mertz.....		
173	Daniel Mowry.....			
159	Millord Muthersbaugh..	Registered Millard Muthersbaugh..		
370	D. H. Meek.....	Registered David Meek.....		
294	D. S. Price.....	Registered Samuel Price.....		
303	A. J. Ready.....			
306	W. H. Roges.....			
310	T. S. Reddy.....	Registered Thadius Ready.....		
245	R. H. Stewart.....			
261	S. Strail.....	Registered Isaac Strailley.....		
206	W. R. Treister.....			
378	W. M. Temple.....			
341	Geo. N. Ulsh.....			
330	W. H. Vanorman.....			
989	Peter Wertz.....	Voted on age.....		
404	W. J. Yeager.....	Registered Jonathan Yeager.....		

NEW ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
121	Daniel Krotzer.....			
89	Henry Miller.....			
156	James C. Negney.....	Registered Jas. C. Negney.....		
23	Charles E. Phillips.....	Voted on age.....		
170	Frederick Pecht.....	Registered Fred Pecht.....		
147	W. D. Ramsey.....	Registered J. D. Ramsey.....		
37	Robert Shaw.....	Registered R. J. Shaw.....		2

BROWN TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

30	George Bell.....	Registered Geo. Brun.....		
39	John Bell.....	Registered John M. Bell.....		
119	John A. Bowers.....			
184	Bates Bell.....	Voted on age.....		
234	Sylvester Ecard.....			
79	M. R. Ferguson.....			
68	Jos. Galbraith.....	Registered Joseph Galbraith.....		
113	Henry Harmon.....	Registered Henry Harman.....		
126	John W. Hunt.....	Registered J. W. Hunt.....		
89	John M. Tunison.....	Registered J. M. Trunison.....		
175	W. E. McMinn.....			
201	G. F. Miller.....	Registered Frank Miller.....		
173	H. T. Peters.....	Registered H. T. Peachey.....		
19	Jas. Reed.....	Registered Jos. Reed.....		
137	D. W. Reynolds.....	Voted on age.....		
179	George Rights.....			
78	James A. Swint.....			
99	John H. Taylor.....	Registered Henry J. Taylor.....		
81	Foster Taylor.....	Voted on age.....		
185	James Taylor.....			
155	Joseph Kelp.....			
12	Samuel Mills.....			
158	J. B. Morrison.....	Registered John Morrison.....		
171	George Mull.....			
188	M. P. Weaver.....	Registered Thompson Weaver.....		
52	Simon K. Yoder, "Sr."..	Registered Simon H. Yoder.....		
115	John D. Yoder.....	Registered John K. Yoder.....		
23	N. G. Yon.....			11

NEWTON HAMILTON TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

22	L. Hollingsworth.....	Registered Lem F. Hollingsworth...		
65	J. S. Norton.....	Registered Jas. D. Norton.....		
14	J. W. Robinson.....	Registered John Robinson.....		

DECATUR TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

No. on Poll List	Alleged Name of Voter.	Proof of Registration and Qualification.	Printed Testimony. Page.	Corrected Total.
166	Jacob C. Arnold.....	Registered John C. Arnold.....		
79	James Bryant.....	Registered James Brine.....		
119	J. C. Burkholder.....			
90	J. W. Frees.....	Registered Wilson J. Frees.....		
14	H. J. Gross.....	Registered Howard Goss.....		
27	F. W. Grinninger.....			
109	George Gardner.....			
32	David Hook.....			
122	John Henry.....			
135	Ellis Hummel.....			
136	Ceylon C. Hummel.....			
214	Hiram Harpster.....			
213	Robert W. Ingram.....			
38	Levi Kerstetter.....			
74	Erastus Kemerling.....			
179	W. L. Mnthersbaugh.....			
178	Simon W. Arnold.....	Registered Simon J. Arnold.....		
205	Charles W. Oldt.....			
149	M. G. Riggle.....	Registered George Riggle.....		
212	Henry Raley.....	Registered Henry Kaley.....		
103	Howard Strawp.....			
138	Luther Scott.....			
120	Philip H. Will.....			
17	Jas. Yetter.....	Registered Jos. Yetter.....		16

UNION TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

Contestant offers only the sixty day list and not the registry list of voters, and without showing the registry list there cannot be any list of non-registered voters. This attempt is *too bald*. "*Further comment is unnecessary.*"

OLD ARMAGH TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

Contestant offered only the sixty day list and not the registry of voters. Contestee offered in evidence the *full* registry of voters. See Exhibit E. C., 14, page 2956. Joseph D. Fory and Adam Brown, of the Election Board, testified that this registry was the one actually used at the polls, and was furnished by the proper authorities. See their testimony, pages 2907-2908. In this entire township but three names on the poll list do not appear under the same initials in the registry list, to wit:

6	James Davis.....			
215	W. E. Stringfellow.....			
148	Lawrence Walls.....			3

This disposes of Two Hundred and Thirty-one (231) *pretended non-registered* votes, showing as unregistered three (3) votes.

ALLISON TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

30	W. H. Bridgens.....			
130	Harvey Keiffer.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	866	
145	Howard Witzell.....			
89	Geo. Esenwine.....			
77	Wm. Tidlow.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	866	
156	John Logue.....	Registered John S. Logue.....		
169	Isaac Fogel.....	Registered J. S. Fogel.....		3

COLEBROOK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
50	Patrick Donahay.....			
17	M. L. Eaton.....			
45	John Murphy.....			
54	C. F. Earon.....	Voted for contestant.....	2443	
38	Wm. Grugan.....			
15	Thomas Ryan.....	Registered Thomas Ryan.....		4

LEIDY TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

21	James Couch.....	Voted on age.....		
26	Daniel Glosner.....			
83	Samuel Nelson.....			
43	Baxter Roberts.....	Voted on age.....		
60	Milton Summerson.....	Voted on age.....		
4	Davies Walters.....	Voted for contestant.....	2326	
86	Scott Dickinson.....	Qualified.....	2325	
57	Charles Dodge.....			
13	M. K. Nelson.....	Voted for contestant.....	2326	
1	Nicholas Watt.....	Qualified.....	2325	
85	John Wilson.....	Voted on age.....		3

BENEZETT TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

38	George Daugherty.....	Qualified ; affidavit.....	988	
84	Robert Jones.....			
55	T. J. Lewis.....	Qualified.....	1104	
13	John Mahen.....	Registered J. T. Mahen.....		
126	John Miller.....	Voted on age ; affidavit.....	985	
107	Abner Ober.....	Qualified and registered.....		
114	John Ober.....	Qualified ; affidavit.....	987	
129	David Schwerdt.....	Registered David Startz.....		
104	R. J. Winslow.....	Voted on age ; affidavit.....	985	
112	John Tuttle.....	Qualified.....	1107	
63	Thomas Boyle.....	Registered Thomas Boyd.....		
90	James Biglan.....	Registered John Biglan.....		
124	Hugh Brennen.....	Registered Hew Brenner.....		
37	William English.....	Registered William English.....		
131	John H. Fiuk.....			
14	L. D. Hawley.....			
67	Samuel Rathburn.....	Registered Sam Rathburn.....		3

FOX TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
71	Charles Brandmiller.....			
148	Joseph Brahm.....			
233	John Brown.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	998	
45	Anthony O'Chase.....	Registered Anthony O'Chase.....		
239	Isaac Brown.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	997-8	
65	John Coppelli.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	994	
250	Thomas Craig.....	Qualified.....	2710	
156	Frank W. Clafferty.....			
23	Wellington Emmitt.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	999	
212	Samuel Kelly.....	Qualified.....	2733	
161	Cornelius McCusker.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	999	
261	Peter Ponser.....			
35	Eugene Thompson.....			
253	Ephraim Denton.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	993	
220	Edward Goodman.....	Qualified.....	995	
76	James H. Keeley.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	996	
157	Andrew Lintner.....	Registered Andrew Lintner.....		
269	Thomas Thomas.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	996-7	
141	John Wonderly.....	Registered John Wonderly.....		
272	Thomas Moriarty.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	992	5

HORTON TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

128	E. C. Bennett.....			
66	Lewis Frants.....	Voted on age.....		
46	Isaac Graham.....	Registered Isaac Graham.....		
103	George W. Gardner.....	Qualified.....	2808	
79	Richard Himes.....			
92	John Hyatt.....	Qualified.....	1097	
116	Henry Halst.....	Qualified.....	2649	
7	Henry Yale.....	Qualified.....	2691	2

JAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

87	Wm. J. Ereig.....	Voted on age.....		
74	Patrick M. Pike.....			
88	T. F. Furley.....			
29	Charles J. West.....	Voted on age.....		
55	James A. Burke.....	Qualified.....	2727	
93	Edwin W. Gray.....	Voted on age.....		2

RIDGEWAY TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

No. on Poll List	Alleged Name of Voter.	Proof of Registration and Qualification.	Printed Testimony. Page.	Corrected Total.
350	John Anderson.....			
13	Joseph Black.....			
206	Charles Brack.....			
307	Fred Baretzsky.....			
71	Pat'k. Collins.....			
178	Thomas Conlin.....			
347	Henry Iloff.....	Registered Henry Indorff; qualified	1017	
211	Henry Dahlor.....			
216	John Dolan.....			
262	John Dallenback.....			
12	Michael Egler.....			
129	Dennis Flynn.....			
262	Swen Froberg.....	Registered Andrew Froberg.....		
230	D. Farrell.....			
64	J. M. Gillette.....			
256	Christian Lindgren.....			
46	Peter Mann.....			
179	William McChesney.....			
93	Frank Paullman.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1029	
313	A. J. Parker.....	Qualified.....	2831	
224	Charles Quinn.....			
254	C. P. Guinn.....			
83	James Harm.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1028	
254	Fred'k. Hemke.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1033	
118	Jacob Steis.....			
329	Jerry Sheean.....			
138	Henry Warner, Jr.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1031-2	
280	John Boyle.....	Registered John Ball.....		
35	Dennis Healy.....	Qualified.....	2848	
339	Henry Iloff.....			
240	Taylor Rhine.....			
107	Joseph D. Stone.....			
231	John Schilk.....			

JONES TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

167	Victor Abot.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1014
125	Daniel Crankin.....		
156	Louis Van Flick.....	Registered Louis Van Vleit.....	
151	John Henderson.....		
180	John Hausman.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1009
181	Lome Hertzman		
60	Edward Johnson.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1009
80	Martin Lowe.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1010
13	Marshe Myers.....		
47	Michael Myers.....	Qualified.....	2801
91	Tim Moser.....	Registered Tom Moshier	
90	Peter Myers.....		
147	Fen O'Garry.....		
165	George Powers.....	Registered George Powel.....	
30	Frank Wauk.....		

SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

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8	Mathew Chandley.....			
49	J. H. Carbon.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1041	
35	Sam'l. Hildebrand.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1039	
46	James Q. Sweeny.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1038	
24	John Kelso.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1037	
14	Levi L. Miller.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1041-2	
38	Lester Schools.....			
18	Wake Brockway.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1042	
41	John Lahive.....	Qualified.....	2830 1040	
40	George D. Messenger....	Qualified.....	2847 1037-8	
29	Jacob Windgard.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1036	2

WHITE DEER TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

69	Martin Broward.....	Registered Martin Bronand.....		
78	Richard Bennage.....	Voted on age.....		
142	George Batin.....	Qualified.....	2999	
164	John Bitting.....			
372	John L. Bitting.....	Registered Lewis Bitting.....		
400	Sim Biddle.....	Registered W. S. Biddle.....		
371	E. Cramer.....	Registered Cram Cramer.....		
293	Alfred Dennis.....			
373	John Erb.....	Registered John Herb.....	2999	
288	Wm. R. Tollman.....	Registered William Tallman.....		
252	R. M. Griffy.....			
278	J. N. Guyer.....	Registered J. W. Guyer.....		
110	Geo. W. Hertz.....	Registered Geo. W. Wertz.....		
215	Wm. T. Huff.....	Registered Wm. Huff.....		
228	H. R. Hutchison.....	Qualified.....	2999	
34	Daniel Kolp.....	Registered David Kolp.....		
73	David Kawk.....	Registered David Hawk.....		
135	Phaus Koser.....	Voted on age.....		
360	Jacob F. Erdley.....	Voted on tax; see poll list.....		
104	John S. Miller.....			
214	James W. Noll.....	Registered James Noll.....		
292	J. M. Rawling.....	Voted on age.....		
317	James Bressler.....	Registered Albert Bressler.....		
317	Sam'l. J. Ranck.....	Registered Sam'l. G. Rank.....		
15	W. P. Ritter.....	Registered W. B. Ritter.....		
265	John Stadden.....	Registered John Stadden.....		
407	Jacob J. Katherman....	Registered Jacob L. Katherman.....		
24	J. A. Sanders.....	Registered Alfred Sanders.....		
92	John J. Smith.....			
136	Geo. W. Schenery.....	Registered Geo. W. Chenery.....		
183	Sam'l. P. Smith.....	Voted on tax.....		
221	John Trait.....	Registered John Trate.....		
75	H. A. Weless.....	Misprint.....		
79	James Zeigler.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	1245	
403	J. R. Runk.....	Registered Reuben Ranck.....		5

BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

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30	J. F. Brown.....	Registered Isaac F. Brown.....		
85	Jack Bottinger.....			
188	Geo. W. Bigler.....	Registered W. W. Bigler.....		
238	J. K. Berkamer.....			
245	David Beaver.....			
96	Jack Benjamin.....	Registered Isaac Bingaman.....		
254	J. W. Crouse.....	Registered Jacob Crouse.....		
262	Solomon Clase.....	Registered Solomon Klose.....		
61	Lewis Dauberman.....	Registered.....		
339	Reuben Feaster.....	Registered Reuben Keaster.....		
91	W. R. Gerhard.....			
316	W. F. Glover.....	Registered Wm. Glover.....		
13	Saml. H. Himmelreich..			
14	Wilson Herman.....			
63	Flert Hauck.....	Registered Hlert Hauck.....		
150	John Hafler.....			
169	Joseph Harman.....	Registered Jesse Harman.....		
194	Ellis Heimbach.....			
244	Israel Helrig.....			
251	Clarence Hauck.....			
280	Samuel Hackenberg.....			
281	James A. Hackenberg...			
284	John Hoy.....	Registered Yost Hoy.....		
297	Calvin Homel.....			
353	Geo. A. Turner.....			
405	Jacob Helvick.....			
228	Wm. L. Irwin.....	Registered Lot W. Irwin.....		
31	Daniel Joels.....			
83	Joseph Lebard.....			
190	J. P. Miller.....	Registered Jonathan Miller.....		
325	G. F. Miller.....	Registered George Miller.....		
184	H. B. Rilly.....	Registered H. B. Kelley.....		
225	Isaac Ruhl.....	Registered Israel Ruhl.....		
141	Wm A. Walter.....			
271	Solomon Renner.....			
311	James Rigel.....			
219	Henry Reimert.....	Registered W. H. Reimert.....		
70	J. W. Spangler.....	Registered Joseph Spangler.....		
77	Wilson Smith.....	Registered William Smith.....		
87	Lew's Shaffer.....			
163	Simon Snyder.....			
246	William Stoot.....	Registered Wm. Stootsman.....		
263	Jacob E. Shrader.....	Registered Jacob Stroder.....		
302	Ulrich Strickler.....			
315	Johnson Shell.....	Registered John Shaale.....		
360	Charles Steniger.....			
158	Jacob Weinghard.....			
278	William Wolfe.....			
285	Wm. C. Wixongaren.....			

EAST BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, UNION COUNTY.

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22	James Beachman.....	Registered; John Beachman.....		
151	Milton Brouse.....	Voted on age.....		
107	Albert Dewire.....	Voted on age.....		
147	W. B. Ervin.....	Registered Wm. B. Irvin.....		
138	Frederick Micely.....	Registered Frederick Kneisley; on poll list, Fred'k Nicely.....		
117	John G. Smith.....	Registered.....		
75	John G. Smith.....	Registered Wm. G. Smith.....		
211	Charles Schrnuck.....	Voted on age.....		
172	Isaac Young.....			
187	David Young.....			
235	Francis E. Browe.....	Voted on age.....		2

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, (WEST WARD), UNION COUNTY.

50	Geo. M. Bennett.....			
71	John H. Betzer.....			
120	Samuel Brocius.....			
143	Frederick Davis.....			
36	W. T. Grier.....			
49	John H. Gray.....	Qualified.....	1183	
33	Leopold Koch.....			
28	William Lloyd.....	Voted for Contestant.....	2973	
29	Noah Lloyd.....			
107	William Lloyd.....			
6	Wm. W. Musser.....	Voted on age.....		
92	Thomas F. Stannard.....			
30	John Lloyd.....			10

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, (SOUTH WARD), UNION COUNTY.

91	S. C. Carroll.....	Registered Calvin Carroll.....		
233	J. C. Catherman.....	Registered I. C. Catherman.....		
180	C. L. Fry.....			
187	Wilfred Gerard.....			
70	John Hauck.....			
77	James Knittle.....			
120	Josh Neyhart.....			
227	P. B. Stahl.....			
198	Brady Thompson.....			
147	H. C. Wolfe.....			
175	A. (C.) Waldron.....	Registered Lance Waldron.....		
140	J. T. Gallagher.....	Qualified.....	1181 1219	
148	H. C. Hall.....	Qualified.....	1177	8

LEWISBURG BOROUGH, (NORTH WARD), UNION COUNTY.

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177	L. R. Asten.....	Registered Lemuel Askin.....		
303	Joseph Burris.....			
190	Jacob Defrain.....	Registered Jacob Frain.....		
104	Samuel Torum.....	Registered.....		
113	Miles Irwin Greenwalt..	Voted on age.....		
117	W. B. Hefelfinger.....			
11	W. S. Lineback.....	Registered Wm. M. Leimbach.....		
192	Wm. Thomas.....	Registered Wm. Thompson.....		
3	J. F. Walker.....	Registered John H. Walker.....		
114	H. N. Wendel.....			3

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

92	Jacob Bee.....	Registered Jacob Bell.....		
192	F. C. Bates.....	Voted on age.....		
209	Charles Brother.....	Voted on age.....		
94	Jerry Brickley.....	Registered J. Brickley.....		
79	Peter Dumier.....			
95	Albert Fulton.....	Registered Alex Fulton.....		
179	Daniel Fulton.....			
188	Amos B. Fry.....	Voted on age.....		
251	Amos Good.....			
205	Edward Hulton.....	Registered Edward Hutton.....		
4	Daniel Keim.....			
32	Joseph Kneedler.....			
223	Harry Kane.....			
190	David Langdon.....	Registered W. D. Langdon.....		
48	Samuel Millison.....	Registered Samuel Milliron.....		
77	Henry Nichtly.....			
159	Gideon Neff.....	Registered G. D. Neff.....		
283	John Nichtly.....			
83	Jacob Penticoff.....	Voted on age.....		
23	Charmsbus Rummell....			
175	J. C. Riley.....	Registered as John Riley.....		
27	Peter J. Stiffler.....	Registered John Stiffler.....		
30	Henry Smead.....	Registered H. A. Smead.....		
46	Harrison Souman.....	Registered F. H. Sonen.....		
100	Abner B. Selring.....			
101	Wm. C. Selring.....			
151	Jackson Smead.....	Registered J. B. Smead.....		
240	Aaron Thompson.....			
158	William Westover.....	Registered W. A. Westover.....		
191	Johnson Walls.....	Voted on age.....		
260	John E. Westover.....	Registered J. E. Westover.....		12

GULICH TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

19	Aaron Ausborn.....	Illegal vote for Contestant.....	2232	
24	John Bowers.....	Registered John Byers.....		
118	Philip Croyle.....	Registered Philip Croyle.....		
175	Wm. Croyle.....			
154	E. Elliott.....	Registered C. Elliott.....		
36	S. O. Fulkerson.....	Registered Samuel Fulkerson.....		
46	Fred Fox.....	Qualified for Contestee.....	1883	
1	Joseph Foster.....	Registered Jas. Fister.....		

GULICH TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY—CONTINUED.

No. on Poll List	Alleged Name of Voter.	Proof of Registration and Qualification.	Printed Testimony. Page.	Corrected Total.
112	Daniel Flynn.....	Registered D. C. Flynn.....		
95	Benjamin Gibney.....			
150	James Ginter.....			
12	John Hunter.....	Registered J. L. Hunter.....		
99	Saul Knoofs.....			
76	Robt. McFarling.....	Registered Robert McFarland.....		
138	Hugh Osborn.....			
124	Wm. Rebmes, Sr.....	Registered Wm. Reames.....		
33	Edward Stiles.....	Registered Edward Stiles.....		
155	J. M. B. Sedswick.....			
132	Mathew Tipton.....			
170	William Tipton.....	Registered W. G. Tipton.....		7

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

146	Jackson Albot.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2222	
7	D. H. Brewer.....			
15	A. D. Boyer.....	Registered David Boyer.....		
243	Richard Bowen.....	Illegal; voted for Contestant.....	1820	
75	P. M. Canty.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3427	
164	Jeff Croyle.....			
190	Michael Casey.....			
218	William Carl.....			
303	T. P. (T.) Davis.....	Registered D. D. Davis.....		
41	Joseph Denny.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3494	
124	John Delander.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2234	
134	Daniel Donovan.....			
193	W. Edy.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1785	
227	Burton Elridge.....			
39	John Freeman.....	Reg. Jno. Truman; voted for Con'tee	1813	
187	Peter Fanney.....	Qual. as Peter Tanney; do. Con'tant	3555	
43	A. J. Goss.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1787	
58	Edward Gyles.....	Registered Evan Gyles.....		
79	Cartwright Greaves.....			
173	John Gould.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1842	
209	Joseph Garrity.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3489	
266	J. W. Gill.....	Illegal; voted for Contestee.....	489 494	
230	Joseph Garrett.....			
28	James Hamil.....			
34	Joseph Higgins.....	Registered Jas. Higgins.....		
253	Joseph Harrison.....	Registered Jas. Harrison.....		
264	Edward Haines.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2239	
267	S. G. Higgins.....	Qualified as J. G. Higgins.....	3420	
293	John Hoffman.....			
119	Anthony Hull.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2231	
217	Levi C. Hill.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3606	
172	William Hill.....	Registered William Hill.....		
162	William John.....	Registered John Williams.....		
201	William T. John.....	Reg. Jno. Williams; qual. for Con'tee	1876	
220	George Jenkins.....			
154	Joseph Jandary.....			
225	Thomas James.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1867	
21	Oscar Kline.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1799	
156	Joseph Kephart.....	Voted for Contestant.....	3463	
213	Allen Kline.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1833	

WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY—CONTINUED.

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263	D. J. Kelley.....			
18	Hiram Kneppenburger..	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2279	
26	John S. Kanlen			
24	James Lacey.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2273	
120	Abraham Luzier.....			
166	Thomas Larrigan.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3541	
282	Edward Lloyd, Jr.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2286	
284	Joseph Loffard.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2236	
9	D. M. McHenry.....			
16	S. W. Miles.....			
109	A. P. Maxton.....			
125	John McGuire, Sr.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2219	
142	Jeremiah Miller.....			
179	Thomas Mullaney.....			
183	David McMonigal.....			
186	Hugh Morris.....	Voted on age.....		
197	John Mobart.....	Qual., John Hobart; voted for Con'tnt	3456	
202	A. J. McHugh.....	Voted for Contestant; on age.....	3450	
232	E. M. McHugh.....			
258	John Magee.....			
261	Edward Maher.....			
277	Joshph Martin.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1857	
279	Richard Morgan.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2224	
280	Edward McFilony.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1801	
281	Frank McGowan.....			
298	Daniel McArchy.....			
311	James E. McGrath.....	Voted for Contestant.....	3474	
312	Joseph D. Maher.....			
14	A. G. Neff.....			
169	C. L. Norton.....			
180	John Nollern.....			
229	John O'Connell.....			
275	Roger Owens.....			
143	John Palmer.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1864	
31	J. M. Rowles.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3419	
88	Fern Ross.....	Voted on age.....		
150	Joseph Reese.....	Illegal; voted for Contestee.....	511	
296	William Rosevere.....			
301	H. C. Rowley.....	Qual., H. C. Powley; voted for Con'tee	1860	
295	John D. Reese.....			
55	G. W. Smith.....	Illegal; voted for Contestant.....	3483	
56	Bigler Shoff.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3592	
59	M. W. (H.) Stone.....	Registered: M. A. Stone.....		
83	Walter Stabband.....			
153	James Sullivan.....			
188	Thomas Steele.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2271	
274	Joseph Strout.....			
107	John Tate.....			
211	Richard Tobin.....			
255	William Vlace.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	2264	
226	Joseph Waterson.....			
94	Aaron Westover.....	Illegal; voted for Contestee.....	489 525	
196	F. C. Weeble.....	Qualified; voted for Contestant.....	3542	
278	James Watkins.....			
297	Robert Whitehead.....			
307	T. S. Williams.....	Qualified; voted for Contestee.....	1851	42

GIRARD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
16	Geo. W. Wilson.....			
29	Ephriam Wetzel.....	Registered Ephraim Wetzel.....		
40	Jacob Shope.....			
62	Henry Rousey.....			
65	Emiel Rougeux.....	Registered A. Rougeux.....		
70	Thomas Thompson.....			
73	Joseph Leigey.....	Registered Jas. Leigey.....		
86	Daniel Stover.....	Registered Daniel Stewer.....		
63	Moses Thompson.....			5

GRAHAM TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

4	George C. Forcey.....			
10	Henry Hubler.....	Registered H. W. Hubler.....		
13	T. Hubler.....	Registered as Levi Hubler.....		
20	W. H. Launsbery.....	Voted on age.....		
24	A. G. Herren.....			
25	James H. Humel.....	Registered J. A. Humel.....		
30	W. M. Shemel.....	Registered W. R. Shemel.....		
50	Henry Humel.....	Registered H. P. Hummel.....		
52	John Enright.....			
73	Daniel Collar.....	Registered David Collar.....		
74	John Deanly.....			
94	M. B. Smeal.....	Registered M. B. Smeal.....		
105	L. H. Pace.....	Registered Levi Pase.....		
113	Isiah Smeal.....			
122	Peter A. Launsbery.....	Registered Peter N. Launsbery.....		5

LOCK HAVEN, (FIRST WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

164	A. J. Brown.....	Registered H. A. Brown.....		
309	Perry Bird.....	Registered Frank Bird.....		
251	G. H. Caldwell.....	Registered B. C. Caldwell.....		
271	Jno. M. Fry.....	Registered John G. Frey.....		
263	Frank Herd.....			
261	P. Keller.....	Registered Frank Keller.....		
267	John Ordner.....	Registered John Ardner.....		
29	E. L. Packer.....	Registered C. L. Packer and qual....	899	
90	John Probst, Sr.....	Registered John Probst.....		
107	Winslow Poorman.....	Voted on age.....		
385	J. H. Rodig.....	Registered Jacob Roetig.....		
27	Sigmund Simonds.....			
215	Albert Sheid.....	Registered Jacob H. Sheid.....		
252	Richard Shradt.....	Registered George Shroat.....		
256	Gotlieb Smith.....			
332	Henry Smith.....			
134	C. A. Wise.....	Qualified; affidavit.....	898	
211	Henry Yearick.....	Registered H. Y. Yearick.....		4

LOCK HAVEN, (THIRD WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
113	Thomas Crowley.....	Registered Thomas Crowley.....		
237	Martin Carey.....			
224	Adolph Gans.....			
242	Peter Jacoby.....			
230	George McDermott.....	Registered Thomas McDermott.....		
77	W. A. Simpson, "Jr."...	Registered W. A. Simpson.....		3

LOCK HAVEN, (FOURTH WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

285	Samuel Snyder.....			1
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BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

50	B. F. Bottorff.....	Registered Frank Bottorff.....		
124	H. C. Niles.....	Registered H. C. Knights		

BEECH CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

73	W. L. Miller.....	Registered William Miller		
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CHAPMAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

146	Henry Donly.....			
28	Isaac Hurd.....			
36	V. J. Howard.....	Voted on age.....		
144	Durell Johnson.....	Registered Thue Johnson.....		
14	Jacob E. Kline.....			
99	William Kemer.....	Voted on age.....		
103	Fremont Kinley.....			
90	Charles R. Miller.....	Voted on age.....		
37	Wm. Percing.....			
26	Samuel Shampane.....	Voted on age.....		
105	Rudolph Slifer.....			
120	George Snyder.....			
121	Edward Smith.....	Voted on age.....		
140	James Wendall.....			8

This district gave Contestant a majority.

PINE CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

152	M. F. Cryder.....			
32	Charles A. Fry.....	Voted on age.....		
193	Albert Furguson.....			
153	Charles Henry.....			
63	Robert Kissell.....			
172	Wm. A. Kissell.....			
95	Nelson Rouck.....			
39	Samuel M. Simmons.....	Voted on age.....		6

This registry was offered in evidence in rebuttal, and we submit is not proper evidence.

The following districts are erroneously claimed by Contestant.

LEWISTOWN BOROUGH (EAST WARD), MIFFLIN COUNTY.

No. on Poll List	Alleged Name of Voter.	Proof of Registration and Qualification.	Printed Testimony. Page.	Corrected Total.
159	John C. Clark.....			
166	David Yearick.....			
133	James W. Smith.....	Registered.....		12

This registry was offered in evidence by *Contester*.

LEWISTOWN BOROUGH (WEST WARD), MIFFLIN COUNTY.

83	George Corbett.....			
248	Samuel Dunkinson.....			
39	Wm. H. Glazier.....			
322	Scott Miller.....			
170	George McCook.....			5

This registry was offered by *Contestee*, and this district gave *Contestant* 20 of a majority.

BRATTON TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

150	J. A. Kauffman.....			
130	B. J. Miller.....			2

This registry was offered by *Contestee*, and this district gave *Contestant* a majority of 26.

GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

252	J. C. Barclay.....			
186	Simpson A. Crum.....			
246	Thomas Crieswell.....			
96	S. A. Pennypacker.....			
107	John A. Shoemaker.....			
178	Jacob S. Steely.....			6

This registry offered in evidence by *Contestee*, and this district gave *Contestant* a majority of 43.

OLIVER TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

169	J. H. Allen.....			
158	J. K. Rhodes.....			2

Contestant had a majority in this district.

WAYNE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

173	George Clemens.....			
24	Joseph Harshbarger.....			
86	Samuel T. Rhodes.....			3

This registry was offered in evidence by *Contestee*, and this district gave *Contestant* a majority of 33.

BENZINGER TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll List</i>	<i>Alleged Name of Voter.</i>	<i>Proof of Registration and Qualification.</i>	<i>Printed Testimony. Page.</i>	<i>Corrected Total.</i>
114	Frank Buckhite.....			
323	Stephen Busk.....			
33	Joseph Hahn.....			
155	Martin Johnson.....			
36	Michael Neubert.....			
128	Valentine Neubert.....			
54	Rev. Sigfried.....			
242	Herman Stockman.....			8

This registry was offered in evidence by Contestee, and the *district gave Contestant a majority of 261.*

Gross total in districts giving Contestee a majority..... 313
 Gross total in districts giving Contestant a majority..... 42



APPENDIX "C."

LIST OF UNREGISTERED VOTERS IN DISTRICTS GIVING CONTESTANT A MAJORITY.

BELLEFONTE BOROUGH, (NORTH WARD), CENTRE COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
1	Cheesman, R. C.	63	Wolf, W. W.	170	Yocum, Rev. A. D.
4	Single, Howard	67	Blair, F. P.	172	Hoy, Adam
13	Williams, J. H.	71	Rankin, Jos. A.	175	Van Tries, Sam'l
14	Lase, Calvin	72	Barrettage, Chas. T.	185	Keenan, Stephen
15	Delige, Samuel	73	Derstine, John	186	Hibler, Dr. A.
22	Blair, Joseph	83	Cruse, A. J.	187	Greist, Frank
24	Lase, Isaac "Sr."	85	Daniels, Q. A.	191	Stephens, Ed.
28	Hoover, O. L.	88	Downing, Thos.	196	Hayes, Dr. T. R.
34	Hillibish, Jas. C.	96	Boal, Geo. O.	205	Cleindeist, John
37	Derr, Daniel	110	Blair, John R.	208	Tate, Milton
36	Williams, Jas. C.	117	Pendelton, Levi	214	Fox, Joseph
39	Straub, Levi	125	Mallory, John	217	Harman, S. B.
41	Furst, A. O.	135	Curtin, W. I.	220	Philipi, S. J. R.
42	Tate, D. R.	136	Baney, Henry	228	Hagerman, Jno. I.
44	Rankin, Jno. S.	138	Ward, Geo.	236	Heisler, Charles
45	Baney, David	146	Gordon, Jas. D.	238	Schrom, Jacob
46	Ratker, Jas. H.	147	Miller, Jno. C.	254	Stitzer, H. Y.
49	Snook, R. W.	150	Reynolds, Oscar	264	McClellan, Wm. Jr.
51	Burnside, Thomas	151	Roan, J. W.	266	Hilibish, W. T.
54	Lane, John N.	153	Crider, Fonte	278	Crosthwaite, R. O.
55	Bailey, W. D.	160	Malin, W. L.	282	Biggart, Rev. W. A.

Total..... 63

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CURTIN TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

17	Watkins, Hies	38	Watkins, Harvey	77	McCloskey, Mich'l
24	Watkins	39	Entzel, W. H.	78	Lucas, Wm. H.
31	Yarnell, Isaac	51	Printz, Harman	83	Leathers, J. L.
32	Ewinghozer, George	52	Delong, Hugh S.		
34	Erninghesser, Abram	76	Prince, W. E.		

Total..... 13

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GREGG TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

11	Hosterman, W. P.	111	Jamison, I. B.	174	Gunsallis, Clarence
13	Woods, S. A.	121	Lingle, Wm.	178	Auman, Jno.
19	Baney, Wm. F.	122	Weaver, Sam'l	185	Vanvalzah, F. P.
79	Jamison, Jack J.	125	Bitner, Wm. B.	190	Ranchaw, Jno.
86	Rishel, M. L.	135	Auman, Philip	191	Keen, Jno. Sr.
90	Houseman, Jno. U.	146	Coolle, Emanuel M.	198	Rishel, Cha's

GREGG TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
199	Hoy, Jno. S.	232	Glass, Jno.	269	Cool, Jacob M.
200	Brian, Jno.	233	Lingle, Jonas	283	Runkle, Lot
205	Smith, Robert	245	Hagen, Jacob W.	306	Mitchel, Joshua
212	Shook, Jno.	246	Vonada, Pierce	312	Dunkle, John A.
213	Wagner, Jno.	248	Miller, Wm. S. H.	321	Grenoble, Benjamin
228	Long, Jacob	255	Weaver, Jared	333	Extel, Samuel
229	Lingle, Jno. C.	262	Krumrine, John W.		
Total.....				38	

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HAINES TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

1	Crouse, H. J.	87	Albright, Alexander	182	Corman, Adam
7	Phillips, C. A.	93	Vonada, George Jr.	186	Kremer, John S.
10	Vance, Hugh	102	Diehl, A. J.	187	Boyer, Samuel A.
32	Sanders, Henry K.	103	Vonada, J. A.	200	Boyer, H. J.
44	Musser, C. S.	104	Rote, E. T.	210	Boob, Isaac
52	Guisewite, Ewd.	105	Rote, John	214	Warutz, Wm. C.
54	Stuer, W. K.	113	Nolter, Robert	220	Vonada, A. A.
60	Krape, J. W.	126	Cronmiller, N. W.	233	Rote, D. H.
59	Eisenhuth, J. W.	136	Edwards, T. G.	238	Hosterman, H. C.
62	Bower, Jacob Jr.	140	Musser, Luther E.	246	Roop, Samuel
63	Stover, John C.	141	Hull, Thomas	251	Musser, Ales.
70	Hinkmen, H. K.	151	Cronmiller Eml.	255	Corman, William
73	Musser, E. H.	154	Barnet, William	257	Beauer, Henry
77	Henkman, Henry	155	Miller, George R.	269	Stover, H. H.
80	Yarger, Charles	158	Rote, Simon	276	Motz, T. B.
82	Eisenhuth, Barthut	165	Orndorf, Seml	278	Beaver, Howard
83	Wise, William	167	Snyder, Samuel	302	Weaver, Frank D.
84	Motz, Thomas H.	174	Fees, David	303	Vance, David
85	Kosier, William H.	175	Earhart, T. G.	308	Lenger, Johnes
86	Jones, J. E.	180	Behm, Isaac	315	Stover, Luther M.
Total.....				60	

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HARRIS TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

2	Stover, Samuel H.	75	Markle, Jacob B.	157	Jacobs, John
7	Stuart, David A.	82	Moyer, Philip H.	168	Ross, James M.
10	Jacobs, G. A.	28	Stain, Charles Jr.	169	Long, Andrew
21	Swineheart, Joseph	116	Henderson, George	171	Cormany, Frank
27	Moore, Samuel B.	122	Hasson, Patterson	176	Duly, Thomas
32	Mayes, Samuel	128	Musser, John	191	Ferrar, Jacob H. Jr.
33	Muthersbangh, Owen	131	Garbrick, James A.	192	Campbell, I. E.
42	Weber, John H.	134	Wiland, Daniel T.	194	Crater, Daniel
47	Condo, Israel J.	137	Ganer, Jacob	196	Hosterman, A. H.
59	Ishler, Samuel F.	141	Way, Joseph	202	Shaffer, Charles B.
61	Kreamer, Andrew H.	144	Rupp, Wm. H.	203	Glenn, D. M.
66	Sweeny, E. W.	145	Stuart, Harry S.		
68	Riley, Thomas F.	151	Ross, James L.		
Total.....				37	

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MARION TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.
1	Tibbins, Henry	31	FreTERS, D.	99	Yearick, C. F.
6	Loder, Wm.	50	Miller, W. H.	108	Keen, Dan'l
7	Glossner, Rhenben	55	Lee, George L.	112	Miller, D. K.
14	Buek, John	63	Artle, Jacob	118	Rhuse, Daniel
15	Wilson, R. K.	72	Seitz, Fred	122	Holmes, Jno. W.
17	Loder, G. R.	74	Gross, Henry	131	Spayde, John
22	Reeser, Jas. C.	77	Williams, Ira C.	137	Wilson, I. W.
28	Gettig, L. H.	97	Romack, M. S.		
30	Harper, W. S.	98	Beck, I. W.		
Total.....				25	

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MILES TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

1	Stover, W. S.	106	Hasel, Jared S.	239	Weber, James K.
3	Gramley, Cephas	122	Condo, Cook	242	Kern, William
4	Winters, Perrie	128	Swarm, Alfred	248	Hasel, William
10	Hasel, G. W.	130	Stennor, H. M.	255	Shultz, John
13	Condo, Samuel	140	Hubler, George M.	257	Sholl, Henry
15	Gramley, T. W. C.	145	Miller, Jacob	260	Hasel, Jacob Jr.
24	Kern, J. F.	150	Bierly, James C.	275	Shull, Jacob R.
25	Bartges, David	174	Houtz, Jno. S.	281	Shultz, Jacob
29	Earhart, C. B.	175	Brumgard, Thos.	287	Walker, Thomas
31	Shultz, John	186	Sheats, Jona	296	Condo, Sam'l
36	Feidler, James A.	188	Miller, B. F.	299	Hostrman, G. W.
37	Hofer, Aron W.	203	Goodman, Geo. W.	303	Miller, W. L.
38	Wate, Wm.	207	Condo, Joseph	305	Greninger, Jacob
59	Condo, James	220	Kreider, Philip	309	Crouse, John
68	Winth, Gilbert	227	Baney, Daniel	318	Gramley, Aaron
85	Kahl, John M.	230	Culoy, Dan'l	320	Gephart, Jacob
98	Aurandt, Rev. F.	234	Fehl, Wm. C.		
105	Wolf, J. R.	236	Long, Jesse		
Total.....				52	

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PENN TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

9	Brown, D. I.	156	Fausler, Adam	243	Rote, B. F.
45	Snow, J. W.	166	Hartman, J. H. B.	245	Harter, Jacob M.
46	Decker, Tho's Y.	167	Luckenbach, A. A.	272	Leitzell, Willis
62	Tilton, David	172	Rider, George	273	Lewis, Eisele
77	Keen, Thomas O.	176	Swanger, Jefferson	274	Wolf, Wreitzle
89	Fiedlar, David	180	Immel, Conrad	275	Mowry, Ross
102	Keen, Jacob B.	182	Zerby, Henry T.	278	Luse, H. K.
105	Ertle, David	189	Lingle, Solomon	288	Moyer, Samuel
106	Ertle, W. H.	190	Kenney, Wm. K.	289	Knaar, Frank
112	Anndre, Dan'l S.	196	Rider, Samuel	297	Van Valin, O. W.
124	Faust, Jacob	206	Anman, Jacob	303	Gray, Daniel
140	Anman, David	209	Tomlinson, H. H.	306	Culoy Amos
142	Musser, Willis	213	Stover, Noah F.	310	Fausler, Lewis
146	Musser, James B.	230	Ungard, B. F.	311	Long, John H.
147	Mauck, William	239	Dutwiler, James C.		

PENN TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
Total.....			44		

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POTTER TOWNSHIP, (NORTHERN PRECINCT), CENTRE COUNTY.

4	Peterson, Chas.	88	Tobias, William	178	Eungard, James
6	Confare, Wm.	98	Faber, Dan'l	185	Keen, Dan'l
9	Confare, I. C.	99	Harnish, Wm.	187	Emerick, J. G.
12	Kreamer, Wm.	108	From, Wilson	188	Lucas, William
19	Mullen, John	109	Figee, Chas.	201	Conser, C. F.
23	Boll, I. C.	110	Migle, W. B.	203	Garrett, Harvey
25	Dresher, I.	114	Grove, Jacob	205	From, Jonathan
26	Shirk, Wm.	117	Forman, D. R.	214	Dubbs, Reed
33	Shutt, Samuel	120	Hosterman, Ellis	217	Stover, Geo. E.
36	Royer, J. E.	123	Whitner, Henry	218	Gross, Wm. E.
41	Rhinesmith, Daniel	126	Keller, J. Henry	219	Slabig, Howard
45	Koch, Geo.	133	Keller, W. J.	225	Shilling, Theodore
46	Spiker, Lucien	135	Snyder, John	230	Condo, M. M.
49	Rishel, Jno.	140	Stover, Oscar W.	234	Boozer, J. T.
53	Rishel, Ward	143	Caldren, Jas.	235	Kenndy J. Q.
54	Lee, Jno.	146	Klinefelter, Wm.	236	Holterman, J.
59	Geistwite, Henry	147	Dale, A. J.	238	Meyer, Lowel
60	Meyers, Wm.	149	Goodhart, Geo.	239	Bland, Corny
61	Shoop, Wm. P.	159	Frazier, J.	243	McCormick, James H.
62	Curry, W. A.	160	Weaver, A. W.	244	Strohn, J. B.
71	Crape, R. P.	167	Miller, Jno. H.	245	Conley, Jno. W.
78	Zerby, Horace	170	Dale, J. G.	247	Swab, Wm. M.
79	McClenahan, Jno.	173	Hory, Geo.	249	Spyker, John
85	Wagner, John	175	Fleming, Julian		
86	Bumgardner, Wm.	176	Odenkirk, Jno.		

Total..... 73

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POTTER TOWNSHIP, (SOUTHERN PRECINCT), CENTRE COUNTY.

4	Wright, Franklin	79	Young, David	137	Carson, Jas. S.
12	Gilliland, J. M.	82	Bitner, William	139	Daub, Joseph
14	Stiver, W. H.	90	Moore, J. D.	142	Armstrong, James L.
16	Cooney, John F.	91	Jones, John	146	Gotsholl, David
17	Sohn, Sweeney	96	Shirk, H. C.	147	Bible, John Sr.
18	Ripka, Peter	99	Lee, William H.	153	Rochan, Joseph
20	McCormick, John J.	102	Rudder, J. D.	154	Welty, Philip J.
22	Allison, W. M.	114	Stittler, J. M.	162	Ruble, William H.
25	Overhultzer, Daniel	116	Dauberman, J. S.	166	Deshem, John
26	Bush, Jackson	117	Durst, Peter	167	Jordan, Peter B.
43	McCaskey, Henry	118	Shires, John E.	175	Glasgow, John
44	Snyder, William	119	Bair, B. F.	192	Friester, Jacob
54	Friester, W. J.	120	Lytle, Samuel T.	197	Rote, John
55	Sweetwood, James A.	123	Lingler, Henry	198	Botorf, Calvin S.
63	Cettleson, Amos	125	Wion, Henry	199	Stoner, David
67	Friester, David	128	Mersinger, John	205	Rearick, George
70	Sunday, George	129	Beiber, George	207	Bettner, Benjamin
71	Palmer, Joseph	135	McLintock, D. R.	222	Friester, Samuel

POTTER TOWNSHIP (SOUTHERN PRECINCT), CENTRE COUNTY.—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
227	Stack, Uriah	240	Stonebrake, J.	256	Royer, F. F.
228	Faust, George W.	244	Strong, John R.	263	Love, Hudson
235	Royer, J. B.	250	Myers, W. H.	264	Krise, Z. P.
236	Emerick Wm. Sr.	251	Wingart, Samuel	265	Decker, Daniel J.
237	Allison, Edward J.	253	Burkholder, T. M.	267	Carson, John M.
Total.....					69

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WALKER TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY.

2	Aston, Robert	88	Peck, Solomon	218	Showers, F. W.
5	Shaffer Joseph	90	Laird, Andrew	227	Gobble, S. C.
6	Kreps, Calvin	105	Walter, D. C.	229	Curvine, John
7	Kreps, Francis	120	Carner, A. S.	238	Lee, J. W.
9	Kreps, Henry	132	Zimmerman, David	242	Krepp, David
11	Thompson, S. C.	137	Michtley, Dan.	243	Whippo, Levi
13	Snider, William	145	Jackson, B. F.	252	Emrick, Joseph
15	Tolbert, Geo. W.	146	Sprowl, Hezekiah	256	Clevenstine, Jackson
18	Snaveley, H. C.	148	McKean, Wm. F.	259	Dusenbery, Wm.
22	Homan, Sael	155	Swartz, F. S.	265	White, David
24	Bickle, Isaac	156	Kauffman, Daniel	271	Theips, John
28	Reigel, John A.	162	Beck, W. H.	276	Whippo, O.
33	Tolbert, Joseph	165	Beck, M. L.	278	Mitchell, Frank
36	Goodhart, S. H.	172	Sproul, John	279	Vonada, John
39	Mowrey, George	173	Emrick, R. F.	292	Twitmyre, J. V.
44	Zimmerman, Shuman	184	Sproul, Samuel	294	Rogers, C. C.
45	White, John	187	Brumgard, H. A.	297	Swartz, Adam
59	Hines, Albert	191	Shaffer, John S.	299	Brown, David
61	Vonada, P. J.	194	Strohm, John	304	Twitmyre, H. B.
62	Shaffer, M.	206	Royers, John L.	306	Twitmyre, H. N.
78	Killey, David	207	Crawford, J. D.	315	Hockman, S. F.
Total.....					62

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CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

CLEARFIELD BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
40	Ed. Kauffman,	262	G. C. Myers,	92	Jas. Yothers,
145	Hugh Bratley,	274	J. I. Adams,	338	R. G. Leary,
153	David Heilbrun,	297	Henry Wining,	342	Jos. B. Laonner,
230	A. Jackson Lainch,	50	M. D. McDrown,	353	John Sunmous.
255	Henry Cryder,	91	A. Gumsburg,		

Total..... 14

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2060 and 1957.

OSCEOLA BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

7	Charles Metzgar,	92	M. B. Myers,	137	John Sypher,
14	Benj. Swagert,	94	Harry Goss,	146	Robert Taylor,
18	William Sanford,	117	Alton E. Kephart,	147	Harry Mays,
19	Winfield Gardner,	119	J. R. Simpson,	149	M. B. Yanks.
22	James Cameron,	128	John McKinley,		
44	John F. Bener,	129	James Chestnut,		
45	E. J. Duffey,	131	Jack Whelan,		
53	Luther Krause,	133	J. P. Katherman,		

Total..... 20

For poll and registry lists, see pages 700 and 648.

WALLACETON BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

5	Martin Hegal,	22	J. F. Brown,	20	Jerome Dixon.
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Total..... 3

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2054 and 1959.

BELL TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

49	G. F. Weaver,	62	Daniel Tryer,	146	David Tiscus,
65	J. J. Davis,	14	G. W. Luridley,	70	E. R. Baird,
80	Joseph Young,	83	Theodore Shaffer,	63	Solomon Reas.
81	Daniel Ronch,	108	W. E. Wetzel,		

Total..... 11

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2043 and 1961.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

86	Frank Hall,	29	Anthony Bean,	43	Miles Hennery,
104	Charles Waple,	67	George Aughenbaugh,	63	Amos Souder,
132	George Louder,	118	Wm. Haines,	64	David W. Hess,
76	Robert Soop,	93	John Goffey,	65	Reynold Everts.
25	John L. Hill,	92	Thos. Pickels,		

Total..... 14

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2038 and 1975.

CHEST TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
3	S. L. Somerville,	168	Charles Moore,	92	A. B. Barrett,
4	J. W. Gallagher,	131	Ira Tute,	108	Leonard Niles,
6	J. P. Fry,	150	Charles Rogers,	129	Peter Bishop,
18	Joseph Michaels,	153	E. A. Dewitt,	174	Robt. McMasters,
21	Alexander McCarl,	177	David Woods,	177	David Wood,
65	G. W. Lose,	64	Edward W. Parker,	70	Wm. Lingy,
72	Jas. W. Montgomery,	81	Edward Westover,	120	Algiers Ary,
150	Charles Rogers,	82	W. A. Barnet,	121	Odis Gown,
165	Alex Dunbar,	84	Jno. S. McGarvey,	175	Jacob Schroll.
Total.....				27	

For poll and registry lists see pages 2007 and 1963.

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

8	W. T. Wiley,	61	B. G. McMasters,	81	L. T. Beers,
10	W. W. Bell,	62	Joseph Straw,	83	Geo. Michaels,
18	O. B. Strunk,	70	J. S. McCreery,	86	J. J. Dillen,
49	E. E. Owens,	74	F. C. Bell,	87	A. J. Smith,
57	M. W. Witherite,	80	L. B. Hile,	91	C. T. Shaper.
Total.....				15	

For poll and registry lists see pages 2005 and 2064.

GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

36	Daniel Snyder,	69	David Johnson,	48	Jos. Neweimer,
33	Wm. B. Thompson,	87	Mathew Johnson,	88	H. D. Kester.
39	D. W. McCracken,	90	J. R. Derick,		
Total.....				8	

For poll and registry lists see pages 2000 and 2065.

JORDON TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

3	Robt. Biddle,	34	James P. Curry,	87	Harvey Swan,
4	A. E. Creswell,	107	Miles S. Bloom,	95	Samuel E. Mays,
10	J. W. Straw,	111	James G. Williams,	103	Wm. G. Williams,
12	Harvey A. Swan,	45	John T. Wiley,	106	Newell Davis,
15	J. W. Leonard,	49	David Z. Curry,	114	Taylor McNeal,
20	George Straw,	68	Robert Johnson,	122	Daniel Bailor.
23	J. C. Thurston,	69	Reuben Straw,		
32	Philip McNulty,	84	Wm. Straw,		
Total.....				22	

For poll and registry lists see pages 1995 and 1965.

NEWBURG BOROUGH, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

4	G. W. Vorus,	25	B. F. Markle,	31	Wm. Lingafelter,
15	Samuel Miller,	26	R. P. McFadden,	23	E. B. Miller.
Total.....				6	

For poll and registry lists see pages 2057 and 1960.

KNOX TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.
33	John W. Mellinger,	82	Monroe Barton,	101	Holton Clark,
35	Henry Hickok,	88	W. L. Wise,	120	Daniel Bloom,
66	John Merriman,	97	James Lewis,	132	Abel Hickok.
Total					9

For poll and registry lists, see pages 1991 and 1966.

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

3	E. J. Reed,	100	John B. Hersey,	263	W. T. Fenton,
53	Cyrus Fauzey,	18	A. L. Robin,	271	Burt Gearhart,
33	C. C. Rodgers,	388	Hiram Shafer,	183	Ed. Fulkerson,
145	Jacob F. Kline,	364	John Randecker,	129	John Bowman,
146	Warren Mullen,	317	Wm. Brosius,		
Total					14

For poll and registry lists, see pages 1985 and 1968.

MORRIS TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

6	J. A. Raymond,	25	Abraham Stenebrunlee	207	W. T. Irvin,
36	John Clouse,	8	J. E. Hugheberger,	263	Richard Humpter,
52	David Richards,	143	Sebastian Snyder,	250	I. Lenhart,
60	Joseph Klinger,	163	H. A. Jones,	173	C. A. Bramer.
105	George Rader,	164	B. F. Wilhelm,		
Total					14

For poll and registry lists, see pages 687 and 689.

PENN TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

41	W. K. Danver,	83	Michael Dixon,	118	S. L. Kester,
57	John Hess,	85	John Conrad,	121	William Spencer,
59	Daniel Korb,	86	Milton Wall,	123	F. H. McNeal,
61	D. C. Sharp,	87	Wm. P. Daley,	45	Peter Piffer.
Total					12

For poll and registry lists, see pages 1979 and 1971.

PIKE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

194	James Kaden,	24	R. A. Holden,	102	Wilson McNaul,
199	A. J. Thompson,	32	S. W. Carr,	111	Henry Broom,
215	Robert R. Keeper,	159	E. G. Carr,	138	Joseph Spencer,
218	Moses Norris,	38	Benj. TenEyck,	154	John B. Garrison,
223	J. F. Metsler,	45	Patrick Currens,	156	Jordon Bloom,
20	Isaiah William,	56	I. D. Ritter,	172	George Fe,
Total					18

For poll and registry lists see pages 691 and 662.

CLINTON COUNTY.

LOCK HAVEN (SECOND WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
1	Mann, C. F.	97	Sloan, A. R.	200	Bently, J. H.
2	Sloan, Robert F.	98	Rockey, Thos.	202	Howell, H. C.
5	Keller, P. W.	99	Stires, Henry	205	Weaver, J. H.
6	Merrel, A. L.	107	McCormick, S. M.	213	Mason, George
11	Sloan, H. C.	108	Abrams, S. S.	214	Yocum, George
16	Barrett, E. L.	115	Thiele, J. L.	221	Hiller, J. H.
28	Harvey, Isaac A.	118	Seltzer, J. F.	232	Croak, John
32	Smith, K. D.	122	Hartman, H. C.	236	Soler, Robert
33	Lent, George	123	Herr, Wm.	237	Bantleon, Reuben
35	Sloan, J. N.	128	Molson, E. B.	238	McGill, Fleming
38	Batchelor, G. W.	129	Winner, G. W.	243	Hackley, H. D.
42	Burge, Wm.	135	Pretet, Joseph Jr.	249	Kintzing, Barnes
58	McGinnis, Jno. S.	145	Deiffenbach, H. L.	255	Weil, Moses
60	Rittman, P. P.	152	Farnsworth, J. N.	258	Smith, Sam'l. H.
63	Fletcher, R. H.	153	Abrams, L. M.	266	Man, Julius
69	Boyle, Dewit C.	166	Hawkins, W. L.	272	Remick, Casper
72	Keller, P. J.	174	Bantleon, Henry	263	Shaffner, Bendelin
78	Ross, F. M.	186	Kittner, A. S.	276	Swavely, E. J.
80	Rouell, Joseph	187	Beck, W. H.	281	Monogan, Edw.
81	Mulqueen, Jno.	188	Lander, Wm. A.	282	Hoover, Wm.
87	Davis, Wm. H.	189	Wiedhahn, C. G.	289	Cummings, John
96	Huling, Wm.	194	Clawater, W. S.		

Total..... 65

For registry list see printed testimony, pages 2594—95.—For poll list see printed testimony, pages 2569—70—71—72.

LOCK HAVEN (FOURTH WARD), CLINTON COUNTY.

9	Mingle, S. T.	122	Baird, E. J.	219	Armstrong, R. J.
11	Harvey, John	123	Johnson, Jacob	220	Hane, Franklin
13	Roland, W. H.	127	Barliew, C. H.	221	Emery, Harry
16	Carpenter, L. T.	128	Staub, Frank	223	Singley, J. R.
22	Welsh, John	130	Smith, F. K.	226	Porter, W. B.
29	Smith, R. K.	142	Kane, Morris	228	Geiger, Adam
35	Shell, R. W.	145	Kiester, S. D.	231	Houtz, Elias
38	Bogenrief, David	151	Kinley, J. O.	235	Snyder, Samuel
42	Crowley, B. J.	161	Montgomery, A. M.	242	Carey, Michael
50	Saltsman, Robt.	163	Heltman, J. H.	243	Stevenson, S. T.
51	Kean, John	168	Lindig, John F.	245	Blake, Michael
57	Luddon, Patrick	171	Guilford, Wm.	246	Clapp, Jared
78	Baylor, David	172	Shaffer, J. A.	250	Bower, Charles
84	Culby, Robt.	181	Harnish, H. M.	254	Davis, Thomas
87	Furst, John E.	187	McClintic, J. D.	257	Shield, J. M.
88	Tiford, John	188	Vanatta, Lot	259	Eakens, J. K.
90	Askey, S. W.	192	Bittner, Robt.	263	Roachabrode, J. D.
92	Jobson, M. C.	197	Parsons, Samuel	266	Miller, John F. H.
112	Harnish, A. B.	207	Swerze, John		
117	Curns, Owen	216	Whiteman, H. S.		

Total..... 58

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LOGANSVILLE BOROUGH, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
6	Stem, Henry	43	Dow, E. W.	78	Kamerrer, Jos.
7	Engle, John Jr.	57	Kleekner, C. W.	87	Bartges, Aaron
8	Gramley, Jno.	58	Weaber, Wm. II.	82	Confer, F. W.
9	Kister, Jacob	65	Bowersox, Jos.	89	Trump, L. F.
33	Snook, L. W.	69	Kleckner, Samuel	92	Mayes, John

Total..... 15

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2574 and 2582.

RENOVO BOROUGH, CLINTON COUNTY.

7	Elliott, F. M.	186	Costello, Frank	361	Taylor, Richard
9	Corrinth, A. H.	191	Moore, C. P.	371	Kepperley, John
10	McCormac, Peter	192	Crites, Charles	378	McCaigue, Philip
12	Coonrod, William	222	Paine, George	379	Gorwin, Thos.
16	McMahon, John	223	Cheeseman, A. W.	394	Mitchell, A. R.
18	Hdolfus, Edward	234	Bazzill, Geo.	399	Haggan, Charles
19	Quinn, Lemuel	236	Kline, Harey	412	Hain, S. L.
22	Pfiffer, Anthony	239	O'Heley, Michel	428	Uhl, Earnest
25	Young, Thomas	242	Seibert, Geo.	431	DeHaer, Patrick,
34	Preiruey, Thomas	244	Weaver, John	433	Paul, George
35	Brinnon, Michael	246	Bennett, Samuel J.	435	Bell, J. H.
37	Biernbiller, Godfrey	249	Stout, H. K.	437	Gardner, Edward
39	Hartranft, Seymour B.	251	Elliott, James	445	Brinnan, Patric
44	Gaff, H. A.	252	Billon, Jerrey	448	Wells, Milton J.
46	McCoy, Robert L.	253	McGill, W. B.	452	Hahn, Geo J.
47	Fox, John Sr.	259	Hall Joseph	454	Koskey, Augustus
55	Guther, William	263	Wirts, S. M.	461	Nicholas, T. W.
56	Nixon, Wm.	270	Koch, Jacob	472	Green, Jos.
57	Gist, M. B.	272	Koller, Peter	478	Schultz, Ferdinand
61	Malloney, Maurace F.	276	Saxton, Millard F.	481	Simpson, John T.
70	Matimore, Michael	278	Duider, Samuel	484	Dewire, Michael
76	Hogland, John	279	Homen, Samuel	495	Wickeri, Albert
84	O'Bryan, Timothy	280	McConnell, H. T.	499	Nixon, Edward
87	Elliott, G. M.	286	Glenn, Edward	500	Smolley, John
92	Markes, Jacob	293	Woddey, Michal	502	Seiner, John
93	Baird, Jas. H.	296	Edmondson, E. W.	508	Wickerman, W. H.
95	Simmers, S. D.	299	Donaldson, F. II.	510	Hickey, Stephen
98	Patton, Thos.	301	Walker, A. J.	513	Merry, Jas. F.
114	Swerley, George P.	302	Bailey John	522	Snyder, Oliver
117	Potter, Geo. L.	305	Donaldson R. B.	524	Emery, J. F.
118	Schmidt, Nichademus	308	Mack, Wm. P.	525	Haffley, Albert
128	Myers, Emanuel	312	Weidler, Wash. II.	528	Haffley, John
142	Sidel, Luther	313	Givin, Frank	529	Gorman, John
148	Bowen, G. M.	321	Whitbey, Joseph "Jr."	535	Kortebine, Geo. M.
154	Johnson, Chas. C.	322	Ward, Wm.	540	Farley, Francis
156	Forester, Henary	328	Steel, J. W.	544	Nicholas, Benjamin
158	Nester, Wm.	338	Burkie, Anthony	550	Shank, Chas.
160	Steadman, S. E.	339	Simpson, R. D.	553	Burackrie, John
166	Geary, John W.	348	Allen, Eli Jas.		
179	Cortebine, G. W.	355	McCram, Thos.		

Total..... 118

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BEECH CREEK TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
6	Walz, Warren	55	Wensel, Geo.	65	Packer, Geo.
12	Bierly, B. M.	56	Dunkle, Fremont	67	Lingle Geo.
15	Rupert, Wm.	57	McKean, C. B.	84	Keyes, Charles
21	Mobly, S.	58	Gardner, J. I.	88	Hamlin, T. J.
30	Searls, E. G.	60	Bunztine, H. L.	89	Wensel, James
44	Keyes, Wm.	63	Metziker, Geo.	91	White, A. K.
51	Rogers, John T.	64	Gardner, R. A.		

Total..... 20

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CRAWFORD TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

2	Robbins, E. L.	42	Sheadle, Jno. M.	81	Pearson, John W.
4	Keiler, J. Miles	48	Eyer, Jno.	84	Irwin, H. M.
6	Matter, Samuel	51	Pearson, Josiah	86	Lanbach, Franklin
7	Sheaffer, David	61	Sheadle, Isaac B.	87	Showers, Elias G.
12	Zerbe, Henry	65	Gheen, W. T.	89	Wensel, Jos.
13	Packer, Jarvis	66	Ranch, Peter W.	90	Sheadle, Robert C.
16	McKeagne, Wm.	70	Sweirer, Cyrus	92	Wensel, Samuel
24	Swerly, John	74	Lanbach, W.	93	Ammond, J. W.
28	Wilt, Wm.	78	Frantz, Henry D.		
32	Stine, David	80	Robbins, Jas. K. P.		

Total..... 28

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DUNSTABLE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

6	Adams, John Q.	24	Siler, Nicholas	66	Kalubangh, Jacob
8	Ranbach, B. F.	26	Grosse, John F.	73	Dice, John M.
11	Quigly, R. L.	28	Ferguson, A. W.	75	Weise, J. G.
12	Besh, John	35	Reeder, Christian	91	Weaver, John
13	Brobst, Benj.	42	McAllister, R. A.	100	Myers, J. A.
16	Huff, Chas. L.	47	Eckert, Levi	103	Gets, T. J.
18	Blesh, Christian	56	Baird, John Q.	110	Smith, John J.
19	Blesh, William	60	James, John		
20	Merrill, N. N.	61	Matzer, John J. Jr.		

Total..... 25

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GALLAGHER TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

6	Moore, George	24	Stephenfinger, Henry	50	Packard, Herrie
17	Bodine, Samuel D.	32	Jerles, James	52	Helmes, George
18	Campbell, Henry W.	34	Lovett, Jacob		
22	Stephenfinger, Wm.	41	Raser, Martin		

Total..... 10

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GREENE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
3	Schrack, John	100	Bixler H. H.	180	Sheetz, Jacob
13	Detwiler, Henry	107	Fetler, John	181	Snook, Joseph
15	Tyson, Jacob S.	109	Reuther, Herman	182	Nearhood, Benj.
20	Karcher, Philip	110	Weaver, Wm. W.	190	Schroeder, A. F.
23	Eute, Andrew	111	Karcher, Christopher	192	Strohecker, John
34	Weaver, S. T.	115	Fidler, John	196	Rowe, John
46	Schurnk, S. S.	116	Buck, Franklin	197	Hoover, Henry
52	Milner, C. W.	117	Zellers, Pierce	201	Stork, Charles
57	Holtman, Frederick	126	Frank, William F.	203	Smith, John H.
59	Righter, G. C.	133	Geistwite, Jonth. S.	205	Gettig, Aaron
63	Barner, J. J.	134	Womeldorf, John	211	Lytle, Charles
68	Barner, Israel D.	138	Wise, Henry	214	Poorman, John K.
70	Keister, Daniel	140	Rine, Lewis B.	215	Bierly, Isaih
73	Stamm, David S.	141	Meisner, John W.	216	Rockey, John F.
75	Gramby, Daniel	142	Price, John F.	219	Walker, Jeremiah
76	Knauff, Wm. W.	145	Matter, Josiah	220	Lockhoof, George
79	Critz, John	147	Eckel, A. I.	221	Eugel, Daniel
80	Gramby, William	149	Herman, John K.	225	Kreamer, H. N.
83	Mertz, Henry	150	Prise, Samuel W.	227	Kashner, William
85	Sayer, John	157	Traite, Henry	230	Kashner, Michael
87	Reninger, Jacob	163	Lehman Samuel	234	Kreninger, William
88	Barner, John H.	164	Lamey, A. N.	236	Zeller, John
89	Herman, Jacob	168	Schrack, William	240	Gerrety, Thomas
91	Critz, J. A.	173	Herman, Willam	244	Earon, Christian Jr.
92	Frank, J. L.	178	Kinley, A. A.		

Total..... 74

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GRUGAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

2	Farwell, Robert E.	19	Riggles, John	34	Wadsworth, Alex.
4	Grugan, Jacob	23	Farwell, L. M.	44	Johnson, J. W.
5	Grugan, Thew.	24	Eilert, George	55	Launer, Patrick
6	Kelley, James	26	Edwins, George	57	Grugan, Edwin
7	Shady, E. P.	31	Heoner, W. C.	58	Ritchie, Lawrence
11	Johnson, Wm.	32	Caton, Jerry		
17	McGhee, S. H.	33	Gougan, Jno.		

Total..... 19

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LOGAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

11	Mechtly, A. J.	73	McClain, Ames	133	Emig, Peter
18	Aaoman, William	76	Moyer, William A.	136	Gift, John
19	Khyne, Daniel	80	Howe, J. B.	154	Kahl, Adam
32	Cavis, Wm.	87	Greninger, John Jr.	155	Curin, Emanuel
34	Boone, John H.	89	Jones, John S. S.	158	Wolf, William E.
38	Boone, Benewill	107	Glantz, John	159	Will, Hersh
46	Duck, Isaac	110	Kleckner, H. B.	160	Swanger, Phillip
47	Bierly, Emanuel	114	Miller, Jacob	171	Cavis, Samuel
51	Klepper, Benj. F.	119	Miller, Jesse G.	177	Schreckengost, P. T.

LOGAN TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY—CONTINUED.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
54	Wieber, Benj.	120	Bierly, James	181	Overdorf, J. B.
57	Cavis, John	121	Bierly, John (b. s.)	185	Best, A. K.
58	Kaust, Michael	127	Hgen, T. L.	195	Womeldorf, James
63	Stover, J. D.	128	Emig, John	200	Spangler, William
68	Weaver, Charles	129	Schreckengost, Alfred		

Total..... 41

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NOYES TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

4	Noyes, A. C. St.	35	Kepler, William	60	McMatchon, John
8	Borman, Henry	42	Armstrong, Wash.	61	Smith, A. W.
10	Eisenhower, H.	43	Hunt, Harvey	86	Burge, Cloister
17	Werts, John S.	49	Shaffer, D. U.	92	Werts, John
18	Kepler, John Sr.	54	Stuart, R. D.		
23	Swartwood, Dock	59	Smith, Albert		

Total..... 16

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WAYNE TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

1	Winchester, H. W.	39	McClure, W. S.	108	Mitcheltree, G. W.
6	Simcox, W. W.	40	Cable, Jno.	114	Curn, S. M.
7	Dice, J. Q.	54	Snyder, John J.	115	O'Connell, Wm.
8	Clendenon, W. P.	61	Anner, George	118	Emert, James
11	Hoagland, G. M.	68	Smith, Wm. W.	121	Snyder, H. J.
13	Chatham, Jno. H. Sr.	73	Askins, Aaron	123	Davis, J. G.
17	McClure, Wm.	74	Montgomery, A. K.	126	Montgomery, R. W.
18	Taylor, J. M.	78	Sour, G. W.	127	Strayer, Aaron
20	Strong, Robert H.	80	Sayder, Ellis	133	O'Donnell, W.
25	Henry, John H.	85	Throp, Geo. W.	137	Staver, C. F.
27	Dice, James Q.	88	Toner, T. J.	138	Shortlege, I. K.
28	Cable, Samuel	89	Farlinger, V. D.	139	Johnson, W. H.
30	Lucas, William	91	Quiggle, R. T.	149	Strayer, John A.
32	Quiggle, R. N. Sr.	95	Throp, S. H.	156	Stabley, J. C.
34	Johnson, J. W.	100	Kessler, H. J.	157	Sees, J. S.
35	Quiggle, C. J.	107	Chatham, John H.	163	Hoagland, J. R.

Total..... 48

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WOODWARD TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY.

No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.
2	M'Closkey, J. T.	83	Widman, Jacob	144	Johnson, Charles
4	Newberry, B. B.	84	Sooger, J. F.	145	Seybold, Edward
9	Webber, F. M.	94	Englert, John	156	Sarvey, Arthur
16	Batchtell, Fred	97	Fryer, Edward	161	Batchelett, John C.
20	Bentz, Adam	98	Bollinger, Harry	179	Probst, John S.
29	M'Closkey, H. F.	103	Englert, Jacob	187	Emery, John
42	Croak, John	118	Litz, Abram	191	Coffee, Lewis
52	Probst, John S.	121	Welch, Jackson	192	Gross, Wm.
57	Packer, Isaac A.	77	Cohan, Geo. Jr.	196	Wenker, John
61	Barnell, W. B.	130	Weaver, Rudolph	206	Fahringer, B. A.
69	Probst, John S.	131	Weaver, J. D.	206	Fahringer, I. A.
Total					33

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ELK COUNTY.

BENZINGER TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

24	Young, Joseph	128	Neubert, Valentine	247	Cheatle, Joseph
29	Keisman, Frank	130	Stauffer, George	256	Raughtford, Thomas
30	Rost, Haver	139	Haines, John H.	259	Pils, Xaver
32	Weis George	140	Degober, Hileas	265	Grotzinger, Ignatius
33	Haler, Joseph	155	Johnson, Martin	267	Walch, Roger
34	Eugensberger, Michael	156	Neubert, Nick	269	Gerily, Thomas
36	Neubert, Michael	159	Britner, John B.	272	Flemming, John N.
39	Long, W. M.	161	Funk, John	276	Willert, Michael
48	Young, Philip	162	Wurtz, Samuel	278	Campal, Andrew
54	Siegfried, Rev.	171	Steran, Henry	281	Robbenread, Anton
55	Chrisoshumus —	187	Gibbons, Anthony	282	Magen, George
62	Sorg, F. X.	190	Munch, Joseph	285	Dibert, Ulrich
82	Conway, Absalom	196	Straub, Peter	286	Heiberger, Joseph
84	Frassy, Rev.	203	Punger, William	294	Fritz, Frank
87	Shmith, Christ	205	Chapter, Nicklaus	298	Gangley, Matthew
102	Schaff, Aspen	206	Wehler, Philip	312	Weis, Charles
113	Wegart, Joseph	207	Kain, Dain	322	Christ, Corby
114	Buckheit, Frank	210	Young, Peter	323	Burn, Stevan
117	Gleixner, Peter	211	Wigart, Martin	329	Stevens, D. K.
119	Clover, Charles	221	Bauer, John B.	330	Munch, Anton
122	Tompkins, Leroy	231	Egert, John J.	331	Williams, Allen
123	Hanhouser, Levi	242	Stockman, Herman		
Total					65

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MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP, ELK COUNTY.

1	Miller, John	20	Heeter, A. L.	26	Keltz, Orion
6	Melick, Gale	21	Moore, Joseph	31	Shaffer, Michael
7	Champion, J. S.	23	Aharah, Charles	32	Crispen, Jerry
16	Moore, W. K.	24	Hydinger, Jacob		
Total					11

For poll and registry lists, see pages 2872 and 2861.

ST. MARY'S BOROUGH, ELK COUNTY.

No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.
2	Madairy, Simon	69	Batch, John J.	169	Loechner, Frank
4	McCurn, Jerry	70	Opely, Chas.	178	Bimel, John
6	McCune, R. S.	76	Sikes, T. S.	192	Schieler, John
11	Beringer, Max	78	Murphy, J. D.	240	Kraft, Sebastian
20	Wacker, Herman	79	Logan, John	245	Vollmer, John A.
23	Brown, Renben	88	Fox, John	248	Stump, John
30	Wegwer, Peter	103	Lorence, B. F.	254	Miller, Jacob
39	Sicker, Jos	107	Haaz, Michael	261	Beyer, John
40	Buesmer, Michael	114	King, Samuel	262	Fry, Henry
42	Broakas, Jno. H.	124	Delger, John	267	Evis, Frank
48	Nicklas, Michael	132	Haing, Elias		
67	Weidenboerner, Jno. E.	142	Hanes, Geo.		

Total..... 34

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MIFFLIN COUNTY.

LEWISTOWN BOROUGH (EAST WARD), MIFFLIN COUNTY.

1	Ewing, J. A.	127	Pierce, Chas.	259	Marks, R. N.
2	Matter, H. H.	130	Kitz, Chas. M.	260	Poice, Jno. "Sr."
6	Rider, Wm.	131	Culbertson, H. J.	265	Weber, Jno. S.
13	Knepp, A. H.	142	Thrush, W. O.	268	Chesney, O. C.
17	Hamaker, David C.	143	McCabe, F. B.	271	Spice, Jno.
20	Seiheimer, J. W.	144	Dennis, C. F.	279	Murray, Geo. M.
26	Uttley, T. M.	159	Clark, John C.	280	Kaley, Samuel
28	McNight, A. H.	164	Montgomery, R. H.	284	Galbraith, Jas. W.
31	Russell, Wm. C.	166	Yearick, David	292	Lind, C. W.
33	Patton, R. W.	173	Zerbe, C. A.	294	Neater, Harry
38	Junkin, H. W.	176	Clark, John "Sr."	300	Murphy, W. W.
39	Parker, A. B.	180	Blymyre, Chas. A.	301	Knisely, John
41	Matter, D. C.	182	Glatt, James	305	Knisely, Wm.
48	Martin, Sam. W.	188	Shaw, W. F.	306	Beasley, Char
51	Umberger, O.	197	Lyter, Crist	309	Satzer, John
60	Deweese, John N.	203	Junkin, Joseph	310	Strunk, Jos. G.
66	Felix, H. A.	204	Tice, G. M.	311	Ker, John
68	Davis, W. H.	205	Breneman, C. B.	313	Lytle, Harry
76	Miller, J. A.	207	Owens, J. M.	314	Patterson, R. C.
78	Kennedy, J. W.	209	Brown, Andrew	317	Brower, Jno. L.
87	Seitles, John	210	Woods, I. W.	322	Hibbsman, T. J.
89	Parker, Jos. W.	211	Staffer, C. W.	323	Knisely, J. C.
90	Settle, Wm. S.	213	Blymyer, Geo. G.	325	Printz, A. E.
92	Locke, E. E.	217	McCoy, F. F.	329	Green, C.
94	Goddard, Geo.	219	Blymyer, J. P.	335	Beasley, Dan'l.
95	Rosenberg, A. S.	220	Wallis, J. I.	341	Bell, W. R.
96	Myers, W. N.	233	Thomas, F.	342	Orner, Joseph.
98	Dalby, C. R.	234	Bailey, W. R.	343	Grner, John
114	Lindemuth, Geo. B.	235	Pierce, W. J.	345	Miller, S. H.
116	Kitz, Chas.	241	Wilt, Jno. R.	347	Yeates, Lewis
120	Tice, A. C.	250	Clark, W. R.	354	Zorbe, H. R.
126	Matters, L. W.	252	Houser, Rhenben	355	Felix, W. C.

Total..... 94

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WEST WARD, LEWISTOWN BOROUGH.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
3	McCleau, Dr.	121	Miller, Jas. N.	226	Parker, J. J.
6	Waream, Jos. S.	130	Peterson, Wm.	238	Ort, P. M.
8	Campbell, R. A.	133	Walters, C. W.	242	Smith, J. H.
9	Bratton, H. G.	139	Reese, Thos. B.	248	Dunkinson, Samuel
12	Reimensyder, J. B.	140	Gibbs, Wm.	251	Marks, S. A.
16	Waters, G. T.	144	Morrison, Jno. W.	256	Davis, John H.
22	McDonald, Alex.	145	Miller, John H.	265	Jacobs, Henry S.
24	Hontz, Wm.	149	Thomas M. W.	269	Marks, Jno. S.
26	Cordes, Jos. R.	150	McCormich, Jno.	273	Stackpole, James S.
27	Galbraith, Jas. S.	160	Rodgers, Sam'l.	276	Reese, Herbert T.
30	Rakerd, Jas. S.	163	Rofer, L. B.	277	Etnier, A. L.
35	Myers, Anthony	166	Betler, Calvin	280	Waream, John A.
38	Maben, Geo.	169	Walters, Henry A.	284	Limes, Jos. M.
39	Glazier, Wm. H.	170	McCook, Geo.	285	Fear, W. W.
40	Davis, Geo. S.	171	Brown, Geo.	287	Trout, Lewis H.
46	Brirer, Chas. B.	172	Coplin, R. J.	289	Hall, James
49	McKruirer, Wm.	175	Shimp, John	290	Hall, Wm. M.
51	Mitchell, Geo.	176	Wentry, F. H.	300	Hebman, Geo.
56	Shimp, Jas A.	177	Reese, Edw'd.	304	Limes, Joseph C.
60	McKee, R. A.	181	Morrison, Sam'l. F. Jr.	305	Rager, Joseph "Jr."
63	Corbett, Geo.	182	Rittenhouse, D. M.	308	Heidley, Joseph
70	McConahy, Wm.	184	Keller, Wm. A.	309	Giffin, Albert C.
76	Berryhill, Sam'l. H.	185	Smith, T. B.	311	Haas, W. H.
84	Yocum, Geo. B.	188	Marks, W. W.	314	Alter, J. Monroe
98	Stevens, James	189	Burns, Porter	319	Blymyer, Jacob C.
101	Smith, Robert	190	Frysinger, Edw'd. J.	321	Dunau, A. S.
103	Shirp, Robt. H.	194	Wilson, N. C.	322	Miller, Scott
104	Flemming, Jos N.	195	Williams, Jos. E.	330	Ort, Henry P.
107	Thomas, Jas. M.	199	Barick, Geo.	321	Jackson, James A.
108	Morrison, S. F. "Sr."	201	Mayer, W. W.	333	Weldon, Jas. S.
112	Jackson, R. H.	211	Hess, George W.	334	Hayes, Thos.
115	Hall, James	215	McKinney, Jos. L.	337	Shaffer, J. E.
116	Brown, I. W.	222	Smith, Geo. W.	338	Wagner, Wm.
118	Koch, L. J.	224	Marks, Chas. R.		

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BRATTON TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

6	Clayton C. C.	48	Glenrutz, Wm.	135	Botticher, Jos. W.
18	Landis, F. A.	49	Settle, Sames L.	142	Ronk, Philip
25	Klippert Henry	53	Kastine, Knoch	150	Kauffman, J. A.
30	French, John	60	Atkinson, Wm.	166	Fike, W. H.
34	Butler, J. J.	88	Wooping, James	167	Whitebeard, John H.
45	Kauffman, Jno. M.	130	Miller, B. J.		

Total..... 17

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GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.	No. on Poll.	Name of Voter.
5	Brought, S. C.	101	Caldwell, William	218	Armon, Frank
6	Keigle, Wm.	102	Caldwell, George	219	Dandis, Dan'l. M.
7	Steely, Sam'l	107	Shoemaker, Jno. A.	223	Brower, John
8	McGirk, Francis C.	109	Comfort, David Y.	229	Myers, Samuel
9	Hayes, Joseph	118	McCoy, Sam'l	230	McColm, Samuel
10	Messerman, Mich'l	125	Steltzer, Joseph	232	Minehart, W. G. C.
14	Keigle, Wm. S.	137	Rittenhouse, Jos. H.	236	Foy, Andy
17	McKinney, Charlie	141	Engle, Henry	238	Price, Martin
18	Burns, Albert	149	Bingaman, W. H.	239	Brackkill, T. D.
19	Stelser, George	160	Smith, Percifer F.	245	Notestine, J. K.
22	Brlunon, John H.	161	Smith, Joseph	246	Crunell, Thomas
25	Ulst, Frank P.	162	Engel, Aaron.	247	Skimp, Thomas
36	Snook, Thomas	168	Armstrong, Henry T.	248	Sheller, Joseph
40	McCormack, James	177	Potter, George K.	249	Bowman, James
54	Cossel, Wm.	178	Steeley, Jacob S.	250	Heck, James D.
58	Kinnison, Sam'l P.	180	Neff Soloman	251	Shaw, K. S.
59	Leopold, Albert	182	Brought, Harry	252	Barclay, J. C.
65	Wilson, Sam'l	184	Plummer, A. M.	253	Brown, M. D.
72	McKee, Andrew	185	Strunk, Albert R.	261	Ort, Jacob A.
74	Miller, S. J.	186	Crum, Simpson A.	263	Swain, Charles
83	McKee, Strove	188	Guist, Samuel	269	Crawford, John
85	Owens, Joseph	199	More, John	270	Kreps, George
95	Keiss, J. J.	191	Lilley, Wm. R.	273	Brown, S. S.
96	Penepacker, S. E.	199	Mumper, Noah	274	Enslow, M. F.
97	Cargill, Wm. J.	208	Snyder, John		
Total.....				74	

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OLIVER TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN COUNTY.

4	Sunderland, J. A.	88	Rounk, John P.	155	Martin, George
7	Snook, Josiah	94	Stine, James E.	158	Rhades, J. K.
8	White, Mason	98	Bolinger, Solomon	163	Ruble, M. M.
10	Stayner, M. S.	101	Stine, John A.	164	Mathews, David
16	Freed, Thos.	108	Stine, Sam'l W.	166	Bylee, Jacob H.
18	Breneman, John	113	Bratton, M. C.	167	Stine, George M.
31	Dunmire, Oliver	116	Gill, W. C.	169	Allen, J. H.
35	McCord, Frank	125	Aurand, John L.	172	Kimerly, F. M.
36	Knepp, G. H.	127	Garver, John	173	Dunmire, L. A.
38	Dixon, Elias	128	Gearhart, Samuel	174	Fidler, Wm.
40	Miller, J. S.	129	Dunmire, Gabrie	185	Metz, Lottus
41	Brininger, W.	130	Dunmire, Joseph	186	Kinsel, J. Q.
43	Bolinger, Jacob	133	Snook, Henry D.	188	Myers, S. C.
47	Ward, Adolphus	135	Decker, Daniel	192	Brumbangh, G. N.
55	Rhodes, Wm. A.	139	Miller, J. L.	196	Forge, Frank P.
58	Cutman, Wm. A.	140	Wilson, Emery	200	Beatty, Thomas
67	Styninger, John	146	Mertz, Wm.	201	Jones, E. W.
68	Barr, Solomon	147	Rush, A. F.	203	Walls, John
81	Rush, George	153	Yeatler, Benjamin	211	Stutzman, Eli
Total.....				57	

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WAYNE TOWNSHIP MIFFLIN COUNTY.

<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>	<i>No. on Poll.</i>	<i>Name of Voter.</i>
8	Pacht, Wm.	65	Rhodes, John M.	133	Goodman, A. Elwood
9	Lukens, Wm.	69	Hinds, John W.	138	Miller, Jacob S.
24	Harshbarger, Joseph	84	Davidson, Wm.	142	McCarthy, Rufus
28	Rusler, T. F.	86	Rhodes, Samuel T.	163	Postlethwait, George
30	McLaughlin, John M.	92	Biary, Samuel W.	173	Clemens, George
51	Fleming, Henry	102	Guerrey, Jacob	177	McCallion, Gustus
54	Aurand, William	117	Withrow, M. P.	178	Miller, B. F.
55	Christo, Cornelius	123	McDowell, Jonathan	204	Smelker, T. B.
60	Price, James	130	Powell, M. B.	209	Cornelius, John Jr.
Total.....				27	

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UNION COUNTY.

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

2	Else, George "Sr."	68	Haag, B. F.	146	Haker, C. M.
9	Gudyhond, James P.	69	Krug, Adam	152	King, Samuel
13	Fisher, T. T.	71	Ketler, B. F.	153	King, John
18	Oaker, Mathew	89	Shaffer, C. A.	154	Kremer, C. L.
19	Fisher, H. C.	81	Nesbit, Joseph	155	Sheet, John
23	Else, J. F.	83	Fisher, Charles "Sr."	164	McArty, Green
25	Kremer, John L.	86	Kaschner, Samuel	174	Bower, J. F.
26	Schevley, Wm. "Sr."	92	King, Jacob	179	Jamison, Brown "Jr."
30	Fisher, M. M.	96	Oaker, Wm. L.	181	Messer, Oliver
31	Pawling, Chas.	102	Fisher, A. A.	187	Fisher, John F.
34	Miller, D. D.	104	Hunter, Edward	194	Moyer, Jany
35	Bower, J. Jacob	105	Wichel, Cyrus	196	Meek, O. W.
40	Bown, Charles	115	Bowen, G. W.	198	Mull, Henry
41	Kindt, A. L.	116	Schney, Levi	199	Swauk, Edward
51	Erb, Frank	117	Schney, Howard	200	Fisher, Samuel A.
52	Fisher, M. K.	120	Schooley, Henry J.		
64	Armstrong, Anthony	129	Elis, Thomas		
65	Else, James B.	135	Bruin, Robert "Sr."		
67	Miles, Wm.	136	Fisher, Daniel L.		
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CONTESTED ELECTION OF CURTIN vs. YOCUM.

PAPERS

IN THE CASE OF

ANDREW G. CURTIN vs. SETH H. YOCUM,

TWENTIETH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Ordered to be printed.

Notice of contest.

To SETH H. YOCUM, Esq.:

You are hereby notified that I will contest your right to a seat in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States, as a member and Representative from the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Mifflin, and Union, you having been declared elected as a member of the House of Representatives from the said twentieth Congressional district in said commonwealth at an election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, by the board of return judges for the said Congressional district, which met at Bellefonte on Tuesday, November twelfth, A. D. 1878; and I hereby specify the following grounds upon which I shall rely in such contest:

1. That notwithstanding the said board of return judges on the said 12th day of November last returned and certified that you had received for the office of Representative in Congress thirteen thousand four hundred and fifty-four votes, and that I had received thirteen thousand three hundred and eighty-one votes, yet I aver that while I did receive thirteen thousand three hundred and eighty-one legal votes, in the aggregate, in the several townships, boroughs, wards, and precincts of the six counties aforesaid, composing the said twentieth Congressional district, you received but eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-one legal votes, in the aggregate, in the said several townships, boroughs, wards, and precincts, and that all votes counted, returned, and certified for you in excess of eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-one were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should be excluded from the count of the legal votes polled, counted, returned, and certified for the said twentieth Congressional district.

2. That in the county of Centre there were returned and counted for you three thousand four hundred and eighty-six votes, yet I aver that there were but two thousand eight hundred and thirty-six legal votes polled for you in the said county of Centre at the said general election

holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in said county in excess of two thousand eight hundred and thirty-six were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Centre.

3. That in the election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Bellefonte there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That ten other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said ward as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally voted the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

4. That in the election district composed of the south ward of the borough of Bellefonte there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said ward two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That ten other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said ward as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally voted the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had received illegally and corruptly, money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

5. That in the election district composed of the west ward of the said borough of Bellefonte there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That ten other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said ward as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally voted the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had ille-

gally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt bargains, negotiations, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

6. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Howard, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said borough two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That ten other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said borough as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because they were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

7. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Milesburg, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said borough immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said borough as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally voted the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

8. That in the election district consisting of Phillipsburg Borough, in the said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, fifty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said borough two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said borough as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally

polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That a large number of persons, to wit, twenty and more, voted for you in said borough, upon false, fraudulent, and forged tax receipts, which said last twenty votes were counted and returned for you as legal votes. That the officers of the election in said borough of Philipsburg, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, acted, behaved, and demeaned themselves illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, in refusing to permit Albert Owen and J. J. Single, who had been legally appointed overseers of elections for said borough, to act and serve as such overseers. That the said officers of election further acted fraudulently, illegally, and corruptly in not having the registry-list of voters for said borough at said election and checking therefrom the names of persons who had voted as required by law. That the said election officers further acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly by not having a light at the window of the room in which the election was held after it became dark, so as to enable themselves and others interested to distinguish and identify the persons who appeared there and offered to vote, and receiving votes from the hands of some persons when no part of the person could be seen but the hand pushed through the window, and depositing said votes in the ballot-box of said borough. That said election officers further acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly in receiving ballots from persons who they knew were not legal voters of said borough, and from others whose names were not upon the registry-list, without requiring the proof of their right to vote made necessary by law; and in disregarding other requirements of the law made for regulating the conduct of election officers. By reason of all which it is impossible now to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in the said borough of Philipsburg on the fifth day of November last for the office of Representative in Congress; in consequence whereof the whole return of votes from the said borough should be excluded and not counted for any one.

9. That in the election-district consisting of the township of Benner, in the said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of the said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers of said election in the

township of Benner, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly sworn according to law, and did not hold and conduct said elections as required by law. That unauthorized persons who were not election-officers of said township were admitted into the room during the counting of the votes, and permitted to have access to the box where the ballots were deposited, and the said unauthorized persons were permitted, and did illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly put into said ballot box a large number of illegal votes or ballots after the closing of the polls and before the votes were all counted from said box. That said unauthorized persons thus illegally permitted to have access to said ballot-box did illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly abstract and take from said box a large number of legal votes which had been polled and deposited therein; in consequence of all which illegal and corrupt acts and doings it was impossible for the said officers of election to ascertain and determine how many legal votes had been polled for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, and in consequence of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine the same. For all of which reasons the return from the said township of Benner should not be counted, but should be excluded from the total count of the votes polled for the said office of Representative in Congress from the twentieth district of Pennsylvania.

10. That in the election-district consisting of the township of Boggs, in the said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in the said township ten and more legal votes polled by legally qualified voters of said township for me for the office of Representative in Congress were illegally and fraudulently counted as so many votes for you for said office.

11. That in the election district consisting of the township of Burnside, in the said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election. That ten other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes,

which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

12. That in the election district consisting of the township of College, in said county of Centre, there were polled, returned, and counted, for you, as legal votes, thirty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers who held and conducted the election in said township of College, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not legally and properly qualified to act as such officers, and were not duly and legally sworn before entering upon the duties of their respective offices, as required by the constitution and laws of this commonwealth. That the said election officers did not conduct said election according to law, in this: that they did not keep the registry list of voters in the room and check therefrom the names of the persons voting, as required by law, and did not keep and return a list of the names of the persons who voted at said election, as required by law. That the said election officers did not designate upon their return for what offices the votes were polled for any candidate. That said election officers returned that one hundred and eighty-five votes were polled for S. H. Yocum, without designating for what office the said votes were cast for the said S. H. Yocum, and yet the said one hundred and eighty-five votes were improperly and illegally counted in the general return of the said county of Centre as so many legally cast votes for you for the office of Representative in Congress. In consequence of all which irregular, improper, and illegal acts it is impossible now to ascertain and determine how many, if any, legal votes were polled for you for the office of Representative in Congress, in the said township of College; and therefore the return of one hundred and eighty-five votes in the township of College for you for the office of Representative in Congress was illegal, and the said number of votes should be deducted and excluded from the number of votes credited to you in the general count and return of votes for the county of Centre.

13. That in the election district consisting of the eastern or old precinct of the township of Furguson, in the said county of Centre, there

were polled, counted and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said precinct, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said precinct for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said precinct as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said precinct, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That twenty and more legal votes polled for me by legally-qualified voters of the said precinct were counted and returned as so many legal votes polled for you. That twenty and more legal votes polled for me in said precinct for the office of Representative in Congress were not counted or returned at all. That the officers who held and conducted the election in the said precinct, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were none of them legally and properly qualified, nor duly and legally sworn or affirmed before entering upon the duties of their respective offices, as required by the constitution and laws of this commonwealth. That the said officers did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. By reason of all which the said election was illegal, null, and void, and the return thereof untrue, unlawful, and false, and should be excluded from the general return of the said county of Centre.

14. That in the election district consisting of the western or new precinct of the township of Ferguson, in the said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, thirty and more votes, which said votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said precinct, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said precinct for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said precinct as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said precinct, inasmuch as they illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the election officers of said new or western precinct, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally qualified, sworn or affirmed as required by law. That said election officers during the day, and before the hour fixed by law for closing the polls, opened the boxes in which the ballots of said precinct were deposited, and took therefrom

ballots previously deposited therein, which said ballots were not returned to said boxes, nor subsequently counted by said officers. That said election officers improperly, illegally, and fraudulently permitted the same persons to vote more than once at the said election. That the said election officers neglected and refused to return the list of voters for said precinct as required by law, and in other respects acted irregularly, improperly, illegally, and corruptly. By reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled for any one in said precinct for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the entire return from said precinct is undue, illegal, and false, and should be excluded from the general count of votes polled for the office of Representative in Congress in said county of Centre, and from the general return of votes polled for said office in the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

15. That in the election district consisting of the township of Half Moon, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration, and upon the promise, that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers of the election of said township of Half Moon, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally; in consequence of which the returns of votes polled at said election should not be counted in the general returns.

16. That in the election district consisting of the township of Howard, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

17. That in the election district consisting of the township of Huston, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, thirty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid either a State

or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers of the election of said township of Huston, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally, in consequence of which the returns of votes polled at said election should be excluded from the count in the general return.

18. That in the election district consisting of the township of Liberty, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, thirty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the election in said township of Liberty, on the 5th day of November last, did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations prescribed by law; that said election officers did not make a return of the list of voters who voted or pretended to vote at said election as required by law; that said election officers did not designate what office any person or candidate was voted for; that said election officers further acted improperly, irregularly, illegally, and corruptly in receiving votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote which the law prescribes. By reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many, if any, legal votes were polled for you in said township of Liberty; wherefore the return of 130 votes for you for the office of Representative in Congress is untrue, false, and illegal, and the said return should be excluded and not counted in the general return of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress in the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

19. That in the election district consisting of the township of Patton, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately

preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the election officers of Patton Township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerk, held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally, in consequence of which the returns of votes polled at said election should not be counted in the general return.

20. That in the election district consisting of the township of Rush, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty-five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of the said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty-five other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had, illegally and corruptly, received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That twenty-five and more other persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, illegally voted for you upon false, fraudulent, and forged tax-receipts, which said twenty-five and more voters were improperly and illegally counted and returned as so many legal votes for you.

21. That in the election district consisting of the township of Snow Shoe, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township, two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and support-

ers of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

22. That in the election district consisting of the township of Spring, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, thirty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election. That thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had corruptly and illegally received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers of the election, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the election in said township, acted improperly, irregularly, and illegally in receiving votes and depositing the same in the box from a large number of persons whose names were not found upon the registry list of said township, without demanding and requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote prescribed by law. Such election officers further acted improperly, irregularly, illegally, and corruptly in permitting unauthorized persons who were not election officers to have access to the room where such election was held after the polls were closed and before the vote was counted and to have access to the boxes in which the votes were deposited and to assist in handling and counting the votes. That said election officers further acted improperly, irregularly, and illegally, in refusing to count off and announce the vote polled in said township immediately after the closing of the polls as required by law, but failed and neglected to do the same until Wednesday, November the sixth, 1878. By reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said township for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the return of two hundred and forty votes as having been polled by you for said office in said township is undue, false, and illegal and should not be included in but should be excluded from the general count of said votes cast in Centre County, and from the general count of votes cast for said office in the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

23. That in the election district consisting of the township of Taylor, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last,

paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you, in said township, as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from your partisans and supporters in consideration of voting for you: or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers of the election, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the election in said township, did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law. That the said election officers improperly and illegally received the votes of a large number of persons, to wit, twenty and more, whose names were not upon the registry list of said township, without demanding and requiring the proof of the right of said persons to vote prescribed by law. By reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said township for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, and the said return from the township of Taylor of sixty-five votes for you for said office should not be included in, but should be excluded from, the general return of votes polled for said office in the county of Centre and in the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

24. That in the election district consisting of the township of Union, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the election in said township, acted improperly, irregularly, and illegally in receiving and counting a large number of votes, to wit, twenty and upwards, from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without demanding and requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote prescribed by law. That said election officers further acted improperly, irregularly, and illegally in failing to make and return a list of the names of persons who voted at said election in said township as required by law, and in failing and neglecting to comply with the various other provisions of the law for regulating the conduct of election officers. By reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many

legal votes were cast in said township for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress; therefore the return of one hundred and sixteen votes, as having been cast for you for said office in said township, is undue, false, and illegal, and the said number of votes should not be included in, but should be excluded from, the general count of votes for said office in the county of Centre and in the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

25. That in the election district, consisting of the township of Worth, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

26. That, in the several districts in the county of Centre thereinbefore specified, there were a large number, to wit, one hundred and more, illegal votes polled and counted for you, the persons voting the same not being legally qualified voters of their respective districts, but being minors under the age of twenty-one years.

27. That, in the said county of Centre large sums of money were illegally and corruptly used and expended by your friends, supporters, and partisans to induce persons who were inclined to vote for me for Representative in Congress not to so vote, but to cast their votes for you for said office.

28. That a large number of legally qualified voters in the several districts in the county of Centre who were disposed and inclined to vote for me were prevented from so voting by means of threats and intimidation, made and used by your friends, supporters, and partisans, to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms in case they voted for me, whereby a large number of persons were illegally compelled to vote for you against their will, in order to prevent losing their employments, situations, and tenements.

29. That a large number, to wit, three hundred and more legally qualified voters of the said county of Centre, who desired, designed, and intended to vote for me for the office of Representative in Congress were prevented from so doing by means of a false and deceitful ticket, fraudulently and deceitfully printed and circulated, by your friends, supporters, and partisans, for the purpose of deceiving said voters; that while said tickets purported to be a full Democratic ticket, yet there was not upon it the office of the Representative in Congress, nor my name as a candidate for said office; that said tickets were deceitfully and fraudulently circulated by your friends, supporters, and partisans, and by them given to illiterate and unsuspicious voters, who desired and asked for a full Democratic ticket, and who, when they voted this ticket, supposed and believed they were voting for me for the office of Representative in Congress. By means of which fraudulent and deceitful device, contrivance, and conduct I was deprived of three hundred and more legal votes in said county of Centre, which I would otherwise have received; and three hundred and more legally qualified voters of said county were deceived, cheated, and defrauded out of their right of voting for a Representative in Congress.

30. That in the county of Clearfield there were returned and counted for you two thousand nine hundred and fourteen votes, yet I aver that

there were but two thousand and sixty-four legal votes polled for you in the said county of Clearfield at the said general election, holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in said county in excess of two thousand and sixty-four were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted nor returned as legal votes, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in the said county of Clearfield.

31. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Curwinstown, in said county of Clearfield, Urban Stage and ten other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office.

32. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Houtzdale, in said county of Clearfield, John Jones and fifty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That at said election fifty other persons who were not legal voters of said borough, because they were aliens and unmaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election fifty other persons, who were not legal voters of said borough, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which votes were fraudulent, illegal, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the officers who held and conducted the said election, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers. That the said election officers did not keep the registry list of voters for said borough in the room where the election was held,

and did not check therefrom, mark, or in any manner designate thereon the names of the persons as they voted, as required by law. That said election officers did not number the ballots as they were voted, as required by the constitution and laws of this commonwealth. That said election officers illegally and corruptly received from the same individuals more than one ballot for the same office, and deposited the same in the boxes. That there were deposited in the boxes a larger number of votes than the number of persons who voted at said election. That two and more tickets were found in the boxes folded together, and were not thrown out as required by law, but were counted as legal votes. That the said election officers in these and many other particulars acted so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, that it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, in consequence of all which, the entire return from said borough should not be counted, but should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress for the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

33. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Osceola, in said county of Clearfield, George Merriman and twenty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office.

34. That in the election district consisting of the township of Brady, in said county of Clearfield, George Moore and sixty other persons, whose names to me are as yet unknown, who were not qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That sixty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things, from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

35. That in the election district consisting of the township of Burnside, in said county of Clearfield, John Sylvis and fifty other per-

sons, whose names to me are as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, corruptly, and fraudulently polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That at said election fifty other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election ten other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received and counted and returned for you as so many legal votes. That fifty other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said township were permitted to vote at said election without making any proof or offering any evidence of their right to vote as required by law, in consequence of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said township for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the entire return from said township should be rejected, and not included in the general return of votes cast for said office.

36. That in the election district consisting of the township of Decatur, in said county of Clearfield, John Jones and twenty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That at said election twenty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans

and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That at said election twenty other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election twenty other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That twenty other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said township were permitted to vote at said election without making any proof or offering any evidence of their right to vote as required by law, in consequence of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said township for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the entire return from said township should be rejected and not included in the general return of votes cast for said office.

37. That in the election district consisting of the township of Girard, in said county of Clearfield, Leander H. Dunlap and twenty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That at said election John McLaughlin and twenty other persons, who were not legal voters of said township because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election John Jones and five other persons, who were not legal voters of said township because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you. That the officers who held and conducted the election of said township, to wit, the judges, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. That said election officers received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said township without requiring proof of the right of said persons to vote as required by law.

38. That in the election district, consisting of the township of Graham, in said county of Clearfield, H. Hubler and forty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters

of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That at said election John Jones and ten other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, and which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election John Jones and ten other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, and which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That the officers who held and conducted the election of said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks were not duly elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths and affirmations required by law. That said election officers illegally and corruptly received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said township without requiring proof of the right of said persons to vote as required by law.

39. That in the election district consisting of the township of Gulich, in said county of Clearfield, John Jones and fifty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of the said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That at said election John Jones and twenty other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election John Jones and ten other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That the officers who held and conducted the election of said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. That said election officers illegally and corruptly received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without requiring proof of the right of said persons to vote as required by law.

40. That in the election district consisting of the township of Huston, in said county of Clearfield, John Bear and twenty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That on said day of election John Bear and twenty other persons, who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That the officers who held and conducted the election of said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. That said election officers illegally and corruptly received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without requiring proof of the right of said persons to vote as required by law.

41. That in the election district consisting of the township of Norris, in said county of Clearfield, F. R. Simmons and twenty other persons, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That at said election, George Trimble, sen., and twenty other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, but were aliens, unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election, Wm. Saunders and ten other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes.

42. That in the election district consisting of the township of Pike, in said county of Clearfield, Seymour Ross and ten other persons whose names to me are as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of

November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporter of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That at said election John Jones and ten other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes so illegally fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election ten and more other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes.

43. That in the election district consisting of the township of Union, in said county of Clearfield, George Fitzgerald, and ten other persons whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That at said election George Fitzgerald and ten other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens, unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election S. W. Hallowpeter and ten other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That the officers who held and conducted said elections of said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said town-

ship without requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote as prescribed by law.

44. That in the election district consisting of the township of Woodward, in said county of Clearfield, A. Westover and one hundred others, whose names are to me as yet unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That one hundred and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you in said township as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That at said election Owen Reese and one hundred other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That at said election John Jones and fifty other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes. That a large number of persons, to wit, fifty and more, voted for you in said township upon false, fraudulent, and forged tax-receipts, which said last fifty and more votes were counted and returned for you as legal votes. That the officers who held and conducted the said election in said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not legally and duly qualified to serve as such officers. That the said election officers did not severally take, subscribe to, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law. That John Sandroek, who acted as one of the inspectors of said election in said township, was not a legally qualified voter of said township, nor of this commonwealth, he having paid no State or county tax within two years, yet he illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election upon a false, fraudulent, and forged tax-receipt. That said election officers illegally and fraudulently received and put into the boxes more ballots than there were names upon the list of voters; that they permitted persons to vote double tickets, and afterwards illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly counted the same. That said election officers, during the hours which by law the polls should be kept open, improperly and illegally left the house where the election was being held, and left the ballot-boxes unguarded and in the care of no one for the space of half an hour or more, although a large number of men—the number of one hundred and more—

were in and around the house where the said ballot-boxes were so left unguarded. That the said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received the votes of a large number of persons, to wit, the number of seventy-five and upwards, whose names were not upon the registry list of voters of said township, without demanding and requiring any proof of the right of such persons to vote, as required by law. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received the votes of a large number of persons, to wit, the number of fifty and more, whom the said election officers knew to be foreigners and aliens, without demanding, requiring, or receiving any legal evidence that such persons had been naturalized and made citizens of the United States. That said election officers, after the votes in the ballot-boxes had been counted, did not seal up said ballot-boxes and deliver them into the custody of a magistrate, as required by law, but left them unsealed in the room where the election had been held for a long period, to wit, for a period of ten days after said election. By reason of all which said several irregular, illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt acts, practices, and omissions, it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled at said election in said township of Woodward for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, in consequence of which the entire return from the said township of Woodward should be rejected and excluded from the general count of votes polled for the office of Representative in Congress in the said county of Clearfield, and should be deducted from the general return of votes cast for said office in the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

45. That in the said county of Clearfield large sums of money were illegally and corruptly used by your friends, supporters, and partisans to induce persons who were inclined to vote for me for Congress not so to vote, but to cast their votes for said office for you.

46. That a large number of legally qualified voters in the several districts in the county of Clearfield, who were disposed and inclined to vote for me, were prevented from so voting by means of threats and intimidation made and used by your friends, supporters, and partisans to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms in case they voted for me, whereby a large number of persons were illegally and unjustly compelled to vote for you against their will, in order to prevent losing their employment, situations, and tenements.

47. That a large number, to wit, three hundred and more, of legally qualified voters of the said county of Clearfield who desired, designed, and intended to vote for me for the office of Representative in Congress were prevented from so voting by means of a false and deceitful ticket, fraudulently and deceitfully printed and circulated by your friends, supporters, and partisans for the purpose of deceiving said voters. That while said ticket purported to be a full Democratic ticket, yet there was fraudulently and deceitfully printed upon it, for the office of Representative in Congress, your name as a candidate for said office. That said deceitful tickets were fraudulently and deceitfully circulated by your friends, supporters, partisans, and by them given to illiterate and unsuspicious voters who desired and asked for a full Democratic ticket, and who, when they voted this deceitful ticket, supposed and believed they were voting for me for the office of Representative in Congress. By means of which fraudulent and deceitful device, contrivance, and conduct I was deprived of three hundred and more legal votes in said county of Clearfield, which I would otherwise have received, and three hundred and more legal voters of

said county were deceived, cheated, and defrauded from voting for their choice of Representative in Congress.

48. That in the county of Clinton there were returned and counted for you 2,264 votes; yet, I aver that there were but 2,114 legal votes polled for you in the said county of Clinton, at the said general election holden on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you, in said county, in excess of 2,114, are illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Clinton.

49. That in the election district consisting of the first ward of the city of Lock Haven, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

50. That in the election district consisting of the third ward of said city of Lock Haven there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

51. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Beech Creek, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

52. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Mill Hall, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, fifteen and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

53. That in the election district consisting of the borough of Renovo, in the said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months imme-

diately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

54. That in the election district consisting of the township of Alison, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, and returned for you counted, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

55. That in the election district consisting of the township of Bald Eagle, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of this township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before the said day of election.

56. That in the election district consisting of the township of Colebrook, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

57. That in the election district consisting of the township of East Keating, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

58. That in the election district consisting of the township of West Keating, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

59. That in the election district consisting of the township of Lanear, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for

you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before the said day of election.

60. That in the election district consisting of the township of Leidy, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not for two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

61. That in the election district consisting of the township of Pine Creek, in said county of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

62. That in the election district consisting of the township of Porter, in said township of Clinton, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

63. That in the county of Elk there were counted and returned for you eight hundred and three votes, yet I aver that there were but seven hundred and four legal votes polled for you in the said county of Elk, at the said general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you, in said county, in excess of seven hundred and four, were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you, for said office, in said county of Elk.

64. That in the election district consisting of the township of Ben-zette, in the said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last,

paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

65. That in the election district consisting of the township of Fox, in said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

66. That in the election district consisting of the township of Horton, in the said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty-five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

67. That in the election district consisting of the township of Jones, in said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

68. That in the election district consisting of the township of Ridgeway, in said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, thirty-four and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

69. That in the election district consisting of the township of Spring Creek, in said county of Elk, there were polled, counted, and returned ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

70. That in the county of Mifflin there were counted and returned for you one thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven votes, yet I aver there were but one thousand six hundred and fifty-six legal votes polled for you in the said county of Mifflin at the said general election holden on

the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in said county in excess of one thousand six hundred and fifty-six were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Mifflin.

71. That in the election district consisting of the Old precinct of the township of Armagh, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said precinct, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said precinct for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

72. That in the election district consisting of the New precinct of the said township of Armagh there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said precinct, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said precinct for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before the said day of election.

73. That in the election district consisting of the township of Brown, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

74. That in the election district consisting of the township of Deny, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

75. That in the election district consisting of the township of Decatur, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

76. That in the election district consisting of the township of Menno,

in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

77. That in the election district consisting of the township of Newton Hamilton, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before the said day of election.

78. That in the election district consisting of the township of Union, in said county of Mifflin, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

79. That in the county of Union there were returned and counted for you two thousand two hundred and twenty votes, yet I aver that there were but two thousand and seventy legal votes polled for you in the said county of Union, at the said general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you, in said county, in excess of two thousand and seventy, were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Union.

80. That in the election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not for two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

81. That in the election precinct composed of the south ward of said borough of Lewisburg there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, seventy and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two

years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

82. That in the election district consisting of the west ward of said borough of Lewisburg there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

83. That in the election district composed of the east ward of the borough of Mifflinburg, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

84. That in the election district consisting of the borough of New Berlin, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

85. That in the election district consisting of the township of Buffalo Run, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

86. That in the election district consisting of the township of East Buffalo, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

87. That in the election district consisting of the township of Kelly, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for

you, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

88. That in the election district consisting of the township of Lewis, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

89. That in the election district consisting of the township of Union, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, ten and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

90. That in the election district consisting of the township of White Deer, in said county of Union, there were polled, counted, and returned for you, as legal votes, twenty-five and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election.

91. I further aver that I received a majority of all the legal votes cast by the qualified voters of the several precincts, townships, wards, and boroughs, for the office of Representative in Congress for the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Mifflin, and Union, at the election held on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, that I am, therefore, duly elected to said office of Representative in Congress, and legally and justly entitled to the seat of such Representative in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States, for the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

A. G. CURTIN.

DECEMBER 10, 1878.

Served on S. H. Yocum, esq., by leaving him a true and correct copy of the above.

W. I. REBER.

Answer of contestee to notice of contestant.

TO HON. A. G. CURTIN:

SIR: In compliance with the act of Congress in such case made and provided, I herein make answer to the notice that you will contest my claim to a seat in the House of Representatives of the United States as a member from the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania in the Forty-sixth Congress.

I allege that your said notice of contest was not duly and legally served, not having been served within thirty (30) days after the result of the said election in the said twentieth Congressional district, was declared by the various courts appointed by law to canvass the vote therein, the time prescribed by the act of Congress in such cases made and provided, and should therefore be wholly disregarded.

I allege further, that said notice is uncertain, vague, and indefinite, and does not, according to the requirements of the law, specify particularly the grounds upon which you intend to rely in the contest, thus depriving me of the privilege I would otherwise possess of preparing myself for the cross-examination of the witnesses you may produce in support of said notice. And, furthermore, I will be unable to subpoena witnesses to rebut the testimony you intend to offer, having not sufficient knowledge from your vague notice as to the point upon which said witnesses will be examined; I shall, therefore, be compelled to except to any and all testimony offered to be taken or taken under your said uncertain and indefinite notice. I now more particularly specify my grounds of objection to your specifications for want of certainty, and the generality of the charges contained therein, and make answer to your allegations, as follows:

1. Your first specification states no ground for your allegation that, notwithstanding there were counted and returned for me in said twentieth Congressional district thirteen thousand four hundred and fifty-four votes for the office of Representative to the Congress of the United States from said twentieth Congressional district, yet that I received but eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-one legal votes therein for said office, and that all votes in excess of said eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-one, counted and returned for me for said office, were illegal, fraudulent, and void, is mere assertion, the truth of which I deny, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and, furthermore, I deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

2. Your second specification states no ground for your allegation that, notwithstanding there were counted and returned for me for the said office of Representative, in the county of Centre, in the said twentieth Congressional district, at the general election holden November fifth, A. D. 1878, three thousand four hundred and eighty-six legal votes, yet that there were but two thousand eight hundred and thirty-six legal votes polled for me in said county at said election, and that all in excess of said two thousand eight hundred and thirty-six votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should be excluded from the legal votes counted and returned for me for said office, is mere assertion, the truth of which I deny, and is not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your said notice of contest; and, furthermore, I deny the truth of the allegations contained in said second specification.

3. That your third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh specifications inclusive, in which you allege that there were ten and more illegal votes

in the north, ten and more illegal votes in the south, ten and more illegal votes in the west wards of the borough of Bellefonte, ten and more illegal votes in the borough of Howard, and twenty and more illegal votes in the borough of Milesburg, polled, counted, and returned for me for said office, in said several election precincts in said county of Centre, in said twentieth Congressional district, because said votes in said several precincts were polled by persons not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective election precincts for a period of two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not paid within two years and more than one month previous to said fifth day of November last a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, and in which said third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh specifications you further allege that there were in said north ward of Bellefonte ten other votes, in said south ward of Bellefonte ten other votes, in said west ward of Bellefonte ten other votes, in said borough of Howard ten other votes, and in said borough of Milesburg twenty other votes polled, counted and returned for me, which said votes in said several election precincts were illegal and void because polled by persons who were unqualified to vote at said election, because they had corruptly and illegally received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that said several allegations in said third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh specifications are untrue in fact, are general, vague, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and they fail to state that said votes were polled for me for the office of Representative to Congress at an election holden on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1878, and all testimony adduced in support of said several specifications should be entirely disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh specifications inclusive.

4. That the allegations contained in your eighth specification, in which you allege that in the election district composed of the borough of Philipsburg there were polled, counted, and returned for me fifty illegal votes, because said votes were polled by persons unqualified to vote at said election, because they were not citizens of the United States nor of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said election precinct for a period of two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not paid, within two years and more than one month prior to the 5th day of November last, a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said borough which were illegal, because the persons severally voting said votes were unqualified voters, because they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, and thereby forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the officers of the election in said borough of Philipsburg, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, acted, behaved, and demeaned themselves illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly in refusing to permit Albert Owen and J. J. Single, who had been legally appointed over-

seers of the election for said borough, to act and serve as such overseers; that said officers of election further acted fraudulently, illegally, and corruptly in not having the registry-list of voters for said borough at said election, and checking therefrom the names of persons who had voted, as required by law; that said election officers further acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly by not having a light at the window of the room in which the election was held after it became dark, so as to enable themselves and others to distinguish and identify the persons who appeared there and offered to vote, and receiving votes from the hands of some persons when no part of the person could be seen but the hand pushed through the window, and depositing said vote in the ballot-box of said borough; that said election officers further acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly in receiving ballots from persons who they knew were not legal voters of said borough, and from others whose names were not upon the registry-list, without requiring the proof of their right to vote made necessary by law, and in disregarding other requirements of the law made for regulating the conduct of election officers; by reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain how many legal votes were polled in the said borough of Philipsburg, on the 5th day of November last, for the office of Representative in Congress, in consequence of which the whole return of votes from the said borough should be excluded, and not counted for any one, are untrue in fact; are indefinite, uncertain, and vague, and not specific, as required by the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be utterly disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said eighth specification.

5. That the allegations contained in your ninth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district consisting of the township of Benner, Centre County, there were twenty and more illegal votes polled, counted, and returned for me, which votes were polled by persons unqualified to vote in said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth and residents of said township two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not paid within two years and more than one month prior to the 5th day of November last a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township that were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled said votes were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal, corrupt, and fraudulent bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the officers of said election in Benner Township, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly sworn according to law, and did not hold and conduct said election as required by law; that unauthorized persons, who were not election officers of said township, were admitted into the room during the counting of the votes, and that said unauthorized persons were permitted, and did, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, put into said ballot-box a large number of illegal votes or ballots after the closing of the polls and before the votes were all counted from said box; that said unauthorized persons, thus illegally permitted to have access to said ballot-box, did, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, abstract and

take from said box a large number of legal votes which had been polled and deposited therein, in consequence of all which it was impossible for said election officers to ascertain and determine how many legal votes had been polled for any candidate for the office of Representative, and in consequence of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine the same, for all of which reasons the return from said township of Benner should be excluded from the total count of the votes polled for the said office of Representative in Congress from the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, are indefinite, uncertain, and are not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and the testimony adduced in support of said specification should be wholly disregarded, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said ninth specification.

6. That the allegations contained in your tenth and eleventh specifications, inclusive, wherein you allege that in the election district of Boggs Township, Centre County, there were twenty and more votes, and in the election district of Burnside Township, Centre County, ten and more votes, polled, counted and returned for me that were illegal, because the persons severally polling the same, in said election districts of Boggs and Burnside Townships, were not legally qualified voters in said districts, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and not residents of the said respective election districts for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election; that there were twenty other votes polled for me for said office in said election district of Boggs Township; ten other votes polled for me in said township of Burnside, that were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled said votes were not legally qualified voters of said election districts, because they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal, corrupt, and fraudulent bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; and that in said election district of Boggs Township there were ten and more legal votes, polled by legally qualified voters, for you for said office of Representative in Congress, and were illegally and fraudulently counted as so many votes for me for said office, are untrue in fact, indefinite, vague, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specifications should be disregarded, and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said tenth and eleventh specifications.

7. That the allegations contained in your twelfth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district composed of College Township, in said county of Centre, were polled, counted, and returned for me thirty and more votes, which said votes were illegal, because the persons who polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not paid within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last a State or county tax which had been assessed two

months before said day of election; that thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township that were illegal, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers of the said township of College, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not legally and properly qualified to act as such officers; were not duly and legally sworn before entering upon their respective duties as such officers; that said election officers did not conduct said election according to law; in this, that they did not keep a registry-list of voters in the room and check therefrom the names of persons who voted at said election as required by law; that they did not designate upon their return for what offices the votes were polled for any candidate; that said election officers returned that one hundred and eighty-five votes were polled for S. A. Yocum, without designating for what office the said votes were cast for the said S. A. Yocum, and that said one hundred and eighty-five votes were illegally counted in the general return of said county of Centre as so many legally cast votes for me for the office of Representative in Congress in the said township of College; in consequence of all which irregular, improper, and illegal acts it is impossible now to ascertain and determine how many, if any, legal votes were polled for me for the office of Representative in Congress in said township of College, and therefore the return of one hundred and eighty-five votes in the township of College for me were illegal, and should be deducted and excluded from the number of votes credited to me in the general count and return of votes for the county of Centre, are untrue in fact, are vague and uncertain and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specifications, and also aver that the one hundred and eighty-five votes polled, counted, and returned for me for the office of Representative in Congress, in said township of College, were votes polled for me for said office by legally qualified voters of said township, and not polled for S. A. Yocum, as will fully appear by the ballots polled and deposited in the ballot box in said township at the general election holden on the fifth day of November last for said office of Representative in Congress, and that if the returns of the election officers of said township show the votes to have been polled for Seth A. Yocum for said office of Representative instead of Seth H. Yocum, it is merely a clerical error made by the clerks of said election board of said township of College. And I further aver that there was no person resident in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania by the name of S. A. Yocum, and no other candidate for Congress of the name of Yocum to be voted for for said office at said election but Seth H. Yocum, and that the votes polled in said township of College for S. A. Yocum, if any were so polled, were polled and intended to be polled for me for said office of Representative in Congress.

8. That the allegations contained in your thirteenth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district composed of the eastern or old precinct of Ferguson Township, in said county of Centre, there were twenty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me as legal votes which were polled by persons not legally-qualified voters of

said election district, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said election district for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not paid within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said election district that were polled by persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said election district, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of all which corrupt and illegal bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that twenty more legal votes polled for you in said election district were counted and returned as so many legal votes polled for me; that twenty and more legal votes polled for you in said precinct for the office of Representative in Congress were not counted or returned at all; that the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks who held and conducted the election in said precinct, were none of them legally and properly sworn or affirmed before entering upon the duties of their respective offices; that the said officers did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law; by reason of all which the said election was illegal, null, and void, and the return thereof untrue, unlawful, and false, and should be excluded from the general returns of the said county of Centre, are untrue in fact, are indefinite, uncertain, and vague and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

9. That the allegations contained in your fourteenth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district composed of the western or new precinct of the township of Ferguson, in said county of Centre, there were thirty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me as legal votes, that were polled by persons not legally qualified voters of said election district, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said precinct for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said precinct as legal votes, which said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said precinct, inasmuch as they, illegally and corruptly, received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers of said election district were not legally qualified, sworn, or affirmed; that said election officers during the day, and before the hour fixed by law for closing the polls, opened the boxes in which the ballots of said precinct were deposited, and took therefrom ballots previously deposited therein, which said ballots were not returned to said

boxes, nor subsequently counted by said officers; that the election officers improperly, and illegally, and fraudulently permitted the same persons to vote more than once at said election; that said election officers neglected and refused to return the list of voters for said precinct as required by law, and in other respects acted irregularly, improperly, illegally, and corruptly, by reason of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled for any one in said precinct for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the entire return from said precinct is undue, illegal, and false, and should be excluded from the general count of votes polled for the office of Representative in Congress in said county of Centre, and for the said twentieth Congressional district, are untrue in fact, are vague and uncertain and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

10. That the allegations contained in your fifteenth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district composed of Half-Moon Township, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for me, as legal votes, twenty and more votes, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township as legal votes, which were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers of said township, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally, and that the returns of votes polled at said election should not be counted in the general return, are untrue in fact, are uncertain, general and vague and not specific, and, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specifications should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

11. That the allegations contained in your sixteenth and seventeenth specifications, wherein you allege that in the election district of Howard Township there were ten and more votes, and in the election district of Huston Township, in said county of Centre, there were thirty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said townships of Howard and Huston as legal votes, which were polled by persons not legally qualified voters of said townships, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective townships for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and had not within two years, and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me as legal votes in said township of Huston which were illegal, fraudulent, and

void, because the persons who severally polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the officers of said election in said township of Huston, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally, in consequence of which the returns of votes polled at said election in said township of Huston should be excluded from the count in the general returns, are untrue in fact, are general, uncertain, and vague, are not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said sixteenth and seventeenth specifications inclusive.

12. That the allegations contained in your eighteenth specification, in which you allege that in the election district of Liberty Township, in said county of Centre, thirty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for me, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said 5th day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township as legal votes, that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same, illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks who held and conducted the election in said township of Liberty, on the 5th day of November last, did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations prescribed by law; that they did not make a return of the list of voters who voted or pretended to vote at said election as required by law; that they did not designate what office any person or candidate was voted for; that they acted improperly, irregularly, illegally, and corruptly in receiving votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote which the law prescribes, by reason of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many, if any, legal votes were polled for me for said office of Representative to Congress in said township of Liberty, wherefore the return of one hundred and thirty votes for me for said office is undue, false, and illegal, and should be excluded and not counted in the general return of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress in the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, are vague and uncertain and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specifications.

13. That the allegations contained in your nineteenth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Patton Township, in said

county of Centre, there were twenty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me as legal votes, which were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said 5th day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of all which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers of Patton Township, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks held and conducted said election improperly, irregularly, and illegally, in consequence of which the returns of votes polled at said election should not be counted in said general return, are untrue in fact, are general and uncertain and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

14. That the allegations contained in your twentieth and twenty-first specifications, inclusive, wherein you allege that in the election district of Rush Township, county of Centre, there were twenty-five and more votes, in the election district of Snow Shoe Township, county of Centre, there were twenty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said townships of Rush and Snow Shoe which were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said respective townships, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective townships for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty-five other votes in said township of Rush, twenty other votes in said township of Snow Shoe, were polled, counted, and returned for me in said townships, respectively, that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that twenty-five and more other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township of Rush illegally voted for me upon false, fraudulent, and forged tax receipts, which votes were improperly and illegally counted and returned as so many legal votes for me, are untrue in fact, are general, vague, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny all and singular the truth of the allegations contained in said twentieth and twenty-first specifications, inclusive.

15. That the allegations contained in your twenty-second specification, wherein you allege that in the election district in Spring Township, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for me

as legal votes thirty and more votes which were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who were not residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that thirty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township as legal votes that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, acted irregularly, improperly, and illegally in receiving votes and depositing the same in the box from a large number of persons whose names were not found upon the registry-list of said township without demanding and requiring the proof of their right to vote prescribed by law; that said election officers further acted improperly, irregularly, illegally, and corruptly in permitting unauthorized persons to have access to the room where such election was held after the polls were closed and before the vote was counted, and to have access to the boxes in which the votes were deposited, and to assist in handling and counting the votes; that they acted illegally in refusing to count off and announce the vote polled in said township immediately after the closing of the polls, as required by law, but failed and neglected to do so until Wednesday, November sixth, 1878; by reason of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said township for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, and therefore the return of two hundred and forty votes as having been polled for me for said office in said township is untrue, false, and illegal, and should be excluded from the general count of said votes cast in Centre County and from the general count of votes cast for said office in the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, and are general and indefinite and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

16. That the allegations contained in your twenty-third specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Taylor Township, in said county of Centre, there were twenty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me, which were polled by persons not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said 5th day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled for me in said township that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter,

in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the officers of the election, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the election in said township, did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; that they improperly and illegally received the votes of twenty and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township without demanding and requiring the proof of the right of said persons to vote prescribed by law, by reason of which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled for the office of Representative in Congress, and the said return from the township of Taylor of sixty-five votes for me for said office should be excluded from the general return of votes polled for said office in the county of Centre, and in said twentieth Congressional district, are untrue in fact, are general, indefinite, and vague, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

17. That the allegations contained in your twenty-fourth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Union Township, in said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for me as legal votes twenty and more votes which were polled by persons not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of the commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that twenty other votes were polled for me in said township that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally voted the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, acted irregularly and illegally in receiving twenty votes and upwards from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without demanding and requiring the proof of their right to vote prescribed by law; that they acted irregularly and illegally in failing to make and return a list of names of persons who voted at said election in said township as required by law, and in failing and neglecting to comply with the various other provisions of the law for regulating the conduct of election officers; that it is impossible now to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were cast in said township for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, and that the return of one hundred and sixteen votes as having been polled for me for said office in said township is untrue, false, and illegal, and said votes should be excluded from the general count of votes for said office in the county of Centre, and in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, are vague, general, and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

18. That the allegations contained in your twenty-fifth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Worth Township, in

said county of Centre, there were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township ten and more votes which were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, are untrue in fact, are general and uncertain, and not specific, and, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

19. That the allegations contained in your twenty-sixth specification, wherein you allege that in the several districts in the county of Centre there were a large number, to wit, one hundred and more illegal votes polled and counted for me, the persons voting the same not being legally qualified voters of their respective districts, but being minors, under the age of twenty-one years, are untrue in fact, are vague, indefinite, and not specific, and, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specifications should be utterly disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

20. That the allegations contained in your twenty-seventh specification, wherein you allege that in the said county of Centre large sums of money were illegally and corruptly used and expended by my friends, supporters, and partizans to induce persons who were inclined to vote for you for Representative in Congress not to so vote, but to cast their votes for me for said office, are untrue in fact, are vague, indefinite, and uncertain, and not specific, and, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be wholly disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

21. That the allegations contained in your twenty-eighth specification, wherein you allege that a large number of legally qualified voters in the several districts in the county of Centre, who were disposed and inclined to vote for you were prevented from so voting by means of threats and intimidations made and used by my friends, supporters, and partisans to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms in case they voted for you, whereby a large number of persons were illegally compelled to vote for me against their will, in order to prevent losing their situations, employments, and tenements, are untrue in fact, are general, vague, and indefinite, and not specific, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said twenty-eighth specification.

22. That the allegations contained in your twenty-ninth specification, wherein you allege that three hundred and more legally qualified voters of the said county of Centre, who desired, designed, and intended to vote for you for the office of Representative in Congress, were prevented from so doing by means of false and deceitful tickets, fraudulently and deceitfully printed and circulated by my friends, supporters, and partisans, for the purpose of deceiving said voters; that while said ticket purported to be a full Democratic ticket, yet there was not upon it the office of the Representative in Congress, nor your name as a candidate

for said office; that said tickets were deceitfully and fraudulently circulated by my friends, supporters, and partisans, and by them given to illiterate and unsuspicious voters, who asked for a full Democratic ticket, and who, when they voted this ticket, supposed and believed they were voting for you for the office of Representative in Congress; by means of which fraudulent and deceitful device, contrivance, and conduct you were deprived of three hundred and more legal votes in the said county of Centre; which you would otherwise have received, and three hundred and more legally qualified voters of said county were deceived, cheated, and defrauded out of their right of voting for a Representative in Congress, are untrue in fact, are vague, indefinite, and general, and not specific, and therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be utterly disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

23. That the allegations contained in your thirtieth specification, wherein you allege that in the county of Clearfield, although there were two thousand nine hundred and fourteen votes, yet that there were but two thousand and sixty-four legal votes polled for me in said county at the general election holden on the fifth day of November last, A. D. 1878, and that all votes polled and counted for me in said county in excess of two thousand and sixty-four were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should be excluded from the return of votes cast for me in said county, are untrue in fact, and, being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

24. That the allegations contained in your thirty-first, thirty-third, and thirty-fourth specifications, respectively, wherein you allege that in the election district of the borough of Curwinsville, in said county of Clearfield, Urban Stage and ten other persons, to you unknown; that in the election district of the borough of Osceola, in said county, George Meriman and twenty other persons, to you unknown; that in the election district of the township of Brady, in said county, George Moore and sixty other persons, to you unknown, illegally and fraudulently voted for me for said office of Representative in Congress in said respective election districts, and that said persons were not legally qualified voters of said respective election districts because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective election districts for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that sixty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township of Brady which were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and

I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said thirty-first, thirty-third, and thirty-fourth specifications.

25. That the allegations contained in your thirty-second specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of the borough of Houtsdale, in said county of Clearfield, there were polled, counted, and returned for me in said election district fifty-one illegal and fraudulent votes, which votes were polled by John Jones and fifty other persons to you unknown, who were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said election district for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me at said election in said borough, which said votes were illegal, because they were polled by aliens who were unnaturalized; that at said election fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who polled the same were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that at same election fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that the officers who held and conducted the election, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers; that said election officers did not keep the registry-list of voters for said borough in the room where the election was held, and did not check therefrom or in any manner designate thereon the names of the persons as they voted, as required by law; that said election officers did not number the ballots as they were voted, as required by law; that said election officers illegally and corruptly received from the same individual more than one ballot for the same office and deposited the same in the boxes; that there were deposited in the boxes a larger number of votes than the number of persons who voted at said election; that two and more tickets were found in the boxes folded together and were not thrown out, as required by law, but were counted as legal votes; that said election officers in these and many other particulars acted so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly that it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, in consequence of all which the entire return from said borough should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress for the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said specification.

26. That the allegations contained in your thirty-fifth and thirty-sixth specifications, inclusive, wherein you allege that in the election district of the township of Burnside, in said county, John Silvis and fifty other per-

sions to you unknown; that in the election district of the township of Decatur, in said county, John Jones and twenty other persons to you unknown, illegally and fraudulently voted for me in said respective townships, which votes were counted and returned for me for said office of Representative in Congress, and that said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective townships for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that fifty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me at said election in said township of Burnside; that twenty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for me at said election in said township of Decatur, which said votes in said respective townships were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said respective townships, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received from partisans and supporters of mine money and other valuable things in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that at said election in said township of Decatur twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township that were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were aliens and unnaturalized and not legally qualified voters of said respective townships; that at said election in said township of Burnside ten other votes, and at said election in said township of Decatur twenty other votes, were polled, counted, and returned for me for said office in said respective townships, which said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were minors under the age of twenty-one years, and hence were not legally qualified voters of said respective townships; that at said election in said township of Burnside there were fifty other votes, and at said election in said township of Decatur there were twenty other votes, polled, counted, and returned for me in said respective townships, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because they were polled by persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of voters for said respective townships, and that the said persons voting the same were permitted to vote without making any proof or offering any evidence of their right to vote, as required by law, in consequence of all which it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled in said respective townships for the office of Representative in Congress, and that the entire returns from said respective townships should be rejected from the general return of votes cast for said office, are untrue in fact, and, being general and not specific, are, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said thirty-fifth and thirty-sixth specifications, inclusive.

27. That the allegations contained respectively in your thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, and forty-first specifications, inclusive, wherein you allege that in the election district of the township of Girard, in said county of Clearfield, twenty-one votes; in the election district of the township of Graham, in said county, forty-one votes; in the election district of the township of Galich, in said county, fifty-one votes;

in the election district of the township of Huston, in said county, twenty-one votes; in the election district of the township of Morris, in said county, twenty-one votes, were polled, counted, and returned for me for said office, in said townships respectively, as legal votes; that said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said respective townships, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective townships for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that in said township of Girard there were six other votes, in said township of Graham eleven other votes, in said township of Galich twenty other votes, in said township of Huston twenty-one other votes, and in said township of Morris twenty-one other votes polled, counted, and returned for me at said election for said office in said townships respectively, as legal votes; that said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said respective townships, because they were aliens and unmaturalized; that in said township of Girard there were twenty-one other votes, in said township of Graham eleven other votes, in said township of Galich eleven other votes, and in said township of Morris eleven other votes polled, counted, and returned for me at said election for said office in said respective townships as legal votes; that said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that the election officers who held and conducted the elections in said several townships of Girard, Graham, Galich, and Huston, to wit, the judges, inspectors, and clerks, were not in said townships, respectively, duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law; that said election officers in said several townships, respectively, received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry lists of said townships, respectively, without requiring proof of the right of said persons to vote as required by law, are untrue in fact, and, being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and all testimony adduced in support of said thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, and forty-first specifications should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, and forty-first specifications inclusive.

28. That the allegations contained in your forty-second specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Pike Township, in said county of Clearfield, there were eleven votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said township, at said election, for said office, as legal votes, that said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters in said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me at said election, in said

township, that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal and corrupt bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that eleven other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township which were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were aliens and unmaturalized; that ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township as legal votes that were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were minors under the age of twenty-one years, are untrue in fact; and furthermore I deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

29. That the allegations contained in your forty-third specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Union Township, in said county of Clearfield, there were eleven votes polled, counted, and returned for me at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not paid a State or county tax within two years and more than one month before said 5th day of November last which had been assessed two months before said day of election; that eleven other votes were polled and counted for me in said township, which said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were aliens and unmaturalized; that eleven other votes were polled, counted, and returned for me in said township, which votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were minors under the age of twenty-one years, and were not legally qualified voters of said township; that the officers who held and conducted said election in said township, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not duly and legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not duly and legally qualified to serve as such officers, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received and counted votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said township, without requiring the proof of the right of such persons to vote, as prescribed by law, are untrue in fact, and being general, vague, indefinite, and not specific, are contrary to the act of Congress, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

30. That the allegations contained in your forty-fourth specification, wherein you allege that in the election district of Woodward Township, in said county of Clearfield, A. Westover, and one hundred other persons to you unknown, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said 5th day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been

assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for me for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, corruptly, and fraudulently polled were received, counted, and returned for me as so many legal votes for said office; that one hundred and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for me for said office, in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of mine in consideration of voting for me, or voted for me in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that at said election Owen Reese and one hundred other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for me, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for me, as so many legal votes; that at said election John Jones and fifty other persons who were not legal voters of said township, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for me, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for me as so many legal votes; that fifty and more persons voted for me in said township upon false, fraudulent, and forged tax receipts, which said last fifty and more votes were counted and returned for me as legal votes; that the officers who held and conducted said election in said township, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, were not legally elected, appointed, or chosen to their respective positions, and were not legally qualified to serve as such officers; that said election officers did not severally take, subscribe, and return the oath or affirmations required by law; that John Sandrock, who acted as one of the inspectors of said election in said township, was not a legally qualified voter of said township, nor of this commonwealth, he having paid no State or county tax within two years, yet he illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for me at said election upon a false, fraudulent, and forged tax receipt; that said election officers illegally and fraudulently received and put into the boxes more ballots than there were names upon the list of voters; that they permitted persons to vote double tickets, and afterwards illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly counted the same; that said election officers during the hours which by law the polls should be kept open improperly and illegally left the house where the election was being held, and left the ballot boxes unguarded and in care of no one for the space of half an hour or more, although one hundred men or more were in and around the house where the said ballot-boxes were left unguarded; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received the votes of seventy-five persons and upwards whose names were not upon the registry list of voters of said township without demanding and requiring any proof of the right of such persons to vote, as prescribed by law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received the votes of fifty persons and upwards whom said officers knew to be foreigners and aliens without demanding, requiring, or receiving any legal evidence that such persons had been naturalized and made citizens of the United States; that said election officers, after the votes in the ballot-boxes had been counted, did not seal up said ballot-boxes and deliver them into custody of a magistrate, as required by law, but left them unsealed in the room where the election had been

held for a period of ten days or more after said election, by reason of all which the said several irregular, illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt acts, practices, and omissions it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled at said election in said township of Woodward for any candidate for the office of Representative in Congress, in consequence of which the entire return from said township should be excluded from the general count of votes polled for the office of Representative in Congress in said county of Clearfield, and should be deducted from the general return of votes cast for said office in the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said specification.

31. That the allegations contained in your forty-fifth specification, wherein you allege that in said county of Clearfield large sums of money were illegally and corruptly used by my friends, supporters, and partisans to induce persons who were inclined to vote for you for Congress not to so vote, but to cast their votes for me for said office of Representative, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and all testimony adduced in support of said specification should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

32. That the allegations contained in your forty-sixth specification, wherein you allege that a large number of legally qualified voters in the several districts in the county of Clearfield, who were disposed and inclined to vote for you, were prevented from so doing by means of threats and intimidations made and used by my friends, supporters, and partisans to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms in case they voted for you, whereby a large number of persons were illegally and unjustly compelled to vote for me against their will in order to prevent losing their employment, situations, and tenements, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific are contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

33. That the allegations contained in your forty-seventh specification, wherein you allege that there were three hundred and more legally qualified voters of said county of Clearfield, who desired, designed, and intended to vote for you for the office of Representative in Congress, were prevented from so doing by means of a false and deceitful ticket, fraudulently and deceitfully printed and circulated by my friends, supporters, and partisans for the purpose of deceiving said voters; that while said ticket purported to be a full Democratic ticket, yet there was fraudulently and deceitfully printed upon it for the office of Representative in Congress my name as a candidate for said office; that said tickets were fraudulently and deceitfully circulated by my friends, supporters, and partisans, and by them given to illiterate and unsuspicious voters who desired and asked for a full Democratic ticket, and who when they voted this deceitful ticket supposed and believed they were voting for you for the office of Representative in Congress, by means of which fraudulent and deceitful device, contrivance, and conduct, you were deprived of three hundred and more legal votes in said county of Clearfield which you would have otherwise received, and three hundred and more legal voters of said county were deceived, cheated, and deprived from

voting for their choice of Representative in Congress, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific are contrary to the act of Congress and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and furthermore I deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

34. That the allegations contained in your forty-eighth specification, wherein you allege that there were counted and returned for me in the county of Clinton, two thousand two hundred and sixty-four votes, yet there were but two thousand one hundred and fourteen legal votes polled for me in said county of Clinton, at the general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for me in said county in excess thereof are illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should be excluded from the return of votes cast for me in said county, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

35. That the allegations contained in your forty-ninth, fiftieth, fifty-first, fifty-second, fifty-third, fifty-fourth, fifty-fifth, fifty-sixth, fifty-seventh, fifty-eighth, fifty-ninth, sixtieth, sixty-first, and sixty-second specifications, inclusive, wherein you allege that in the election district of the first ward of the city of Lock Haven, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more voters; in the election district of the third ward, in said city and county, there were ten and more votes; in the election district of the borough of Beech Creek, in said county, there were ten and more votes; in the election district of the borough of Mill Hall, in said county, there were fifteen and more votes; in the election district of the borough of Renovo, in said county, there were twenty and more votes; in the election district of the township of Alleson, in said county, there were twenty and more votes; in the election district of Bald Eagle Township, in said county, there were ten and more votes; in the election district of the township of Cole Brook, in said county, there were ten and more votes; in the election district of the township of East Keating, in said county, there were five and more votes; in the election district of the township of West Keating, in said county, there were five and more votes; in the election district of the township of Lamar, in said county, there were twenty and more votes; in the election district of the township of Leidy, in said county, there were ten and more votes; in the election district of the township of Pine Creek, in said county, there were five and more votes; and in the election district of the township of Porter, in said county, there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said respective election districts, which votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said several election districts because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said respective election districts for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, are untrue in fact, and said several allegations being general, indefinite, and not specific, are, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said several specifications should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said forty-ninth, fiftieth, fifty-first, fifty-second, fifty-third, fifty-fourth, fifty-fifth, fifty-sixth, fifty-seventh, fifty-eighth, fifty-ninth, sixtieth, sixty-first, and sixty-second specifications, inclusive.

36. That the allegations contained in your sixty-third specification, wherein you allege that in the county of Elk there were counted and returned for me eight hundred and three votes, but that there were but seven hundred and four legal votes polled for me in said county at the general election holden on the fifth day of November last, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for me in said county in excess of said seven hundred and four votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for me for said office in said county, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

37. That the allegations contained in your sixty-fourth, sixty-fifth, sixty-sixth, sixty-seventh, sixty-eighth, and sixty-ninth specifications, wherein you allege, respectively, that in the election district of the township of Benezette, in said county of Elk, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Fox, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of Horton, in said county, there were twenty-five and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Jones, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Ridgeway, in said county, there were thirty-four and more votes; and in the election district of the township of Spring Creek, in said county, there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me at said election, which said votes were polled by persons who were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said respective election districts in said county two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are, therefore, contrary to the act of Congress and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said sixty-fourth, sixty-fifth, sixty-sixth, sixty-seventh, sixty-eighth, and sixty-ninth specifications, inclusive.

38. That the allegations contained in your seventieth specification, wherein you allege that in the county of Mifflin there were polled, counted, and returned for me one thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven votes, and that there were but one thousand six hundred and fifty-six legal votes polled for me in said county, and all votes polled for me in excess thereof at said election were illegal and fraudulent and void, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for me in said county of Mifflin, are untrue in fact, and, being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

39. That the allegations contained in your seventy-first, seventy-second, seventy-third, seventy-fourth, seventy-fifth, seventy-sixth, seventy-seventh, and seventy-eighth specifications, wherein you allege, respectively, that in the election district of the old precinct of the township of Armagh, in said county of Mifflin, there were twenty and more votes; that in the election district of the new precinct of said township of Armagh, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Brown, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Derry, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election dis-

trict of the township of Decatur, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Menno, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Newton-Hamilton, in said county, there were ten and more votes; and that in the election district of the township of Union, in said county, there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said respective election districts, which said votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said respective election districts because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective election districts for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, and should be stricken from your notice of contest; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said seventy-first, seventy-second, seventy-third, seventy-fourth, seventy-fifth, seventy-sixth, seventy-seventh, and seventy-eighth specifications, inclusive.

40. That the allegations contained in your seventy-ninth specification, wherein you allege that in the county of Union there were counted and returned for me two thousand two hundred and twenty votes, yet that there were but two thousand and seventy legal votes polled for me in said county at the general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for me in said county in excess thereof were illegal and void, and should be excluded from the return of votes cast for me in said county, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress, should be stricken from your notice of contest, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said specification.

41. That the allegations contained in your eightieth, eighty-first, eighty-second, eighty-third, eighty-fourth, eighty-fifth, eighty-sixth, eighty-seventh, eighty-eighth, eighty-ninth, and ninetieth specifications, respectively, wherein you allege that in the election district of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the south ward, in said borough and county, there were twenty and more votes; that in the election district of the west ward, in said borough and county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the east ward of said borough and county there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the borough of New Berlin, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Buffalo Run, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of East Buffalo, in said county, there were twenty and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Kelley, in said county, there were twenty and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Lewis, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of Union, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district of the township of White Deer, in said county, there were twenty-five and more votes polled, counted, and returned for me in said respective election districts, which said votes were polled by persons who were not legally qualified voters of said respective election districts, because the persons who severally polled the same were not citizens of the United

States and of this commonwealth, and had not been residents of said respective election districts for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, are untrue in fact, and being general and not specific, are therefore contrary to the act of Congress and should be stricken from your notice of contest, and all testimony adduced in support of said several specifications should be disregarded; and I furthermore deny the truth of all and singular the allegations contained in said eightieth, eighty-first, eighty-second, eighty-third, eighty-fourth, eighty-fifth, eighty-sixth, eighty-seventh, eighty-eighth, eighty-ninth, and ninetieth specifications inclusive.

42. That the allegations contained in your ninety-first specification, wherein you allege that you received a majority of all the legal votes cast by the qualified voters of the several precincts, townships, wards, and boroughs, for the office of Representative in Congress for the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Mifflin, and Union, at the general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878; that you are therefore duly elected to said office of Representative in Congress, and legally and justly entitled to the seat of such Representative in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States for the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, are untrue in fact, and I furthermore deny the truth of the allegations contained in said ninety-first specification.

43. And for further answer to your said alleged notice of contest, I deny and traverse each and every allegation made by you contained in each and every specification as noted by you, in said alleged notice of contest, from numbers one to ninety-one, inclusive; and I further answer your alleged notice, that I do not know or believe, and therefore deny, all and singular the averments in the specifications in the said notice of contest contained; nor do I know or believe, and therefore do not admit, but deny, all and singular the averments in your said notice of contest contained, that I received less votes or that you received more votes at said election than appear on the general return for said office for a member of Congress from the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania as aforesaid.

And for further answer to your said notice of contest, I aver that I received more legal votes and that you received less legal votes for the said office at the said last election than were returned in the said election, and that therefore and by reason of the rejection of legal votes for me which were only offered by qualified voters at said election, and by reason of the reception of illegal and fraudulent votes for you at said last election for said office, as hereinafter specified, my majority for said office was in truth and in fact greater than the majority for me appearing on the said election.

1st. That in the county of Centre there were returned and counted for you three thousand five hundred and thirty-five votes, yet I aver there were but two thousand five hundred and thirty-five votes polled for you in the said county of Centre at the said general election holden on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in the said county of Centre.

2d. That in the election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Bellefonte, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said 5th day November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said ward, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things, from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said north ward, acted improperly, illegally, and fraudulently, inasmuch as W. F. Reber, one of the clerks who served upon said election board in the conduct of said election, after the polls were closed and before the votes were counted, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly took sundry ballots out of said ballot-box, among which was the ballot he had deposited therein at said election, and altered and changed his said ballot, and again deposited his said ballot in the said box; that his vote was counted and returned for you for said office of Representative as a legal vote, whereas by his illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt action his said vote should have been rejected from the number of votes polled for you for said office at said election in said ward, and should now be excluded from the general return of votes cast for you for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

3d. That in the election district composed of the south ward of Bellefonte, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said ward, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which

several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

4th. That in the election district composed of the west ward of the borough of Bellefonte, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said ward, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said ward, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

5th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Milesburg, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

6th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Unionville there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough of Unionville, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the

fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That there were five and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

7th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Howard, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you for said office in said borough which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That there were ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district of Howard borough ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

8th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Philipsburg, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough which said votes were illegal, fraudulent,

and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were counted and returned for you for said office; that in said borough of Philipsburg five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you, at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

9th. That in the election district composed of the township of Benner, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that five and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and friends of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That five and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said township of Benner five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

10th. That in the election district composed of the township of Boggs, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally-qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of

election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other votes were received, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally-qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable thing thereafter in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in the said township of Boggs five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty one years; that in said election district, consisting of the township of Boggs, in said county of Centre, twenty and more legally-qualified voters of said election district who were disposed, inclined, and intended to vote for me for said office at said election were prevented from so voting by means of threats and intimidations made and used by your friends, supporters, and partisans to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms, in case they voted for me, said twenty and more voters being at the time in the employ and subject to the power and control of your said friends, supporters, and partisans, and which said legally-qualified voters of said district were illegally compelled to vote for you for said office at said election against their will, in order to prevent losing their employment, situations, and tenements, which said votes were counted and returned for you for said office contrary to law.

11th. That in the election district composed of the township of Burnside, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

12th. That in the election district composed of the township of Curtin, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they were not citizens

of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before said day of election, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that in the said election district, in said county of Centre, ten and more legally qualified voters of said election district who were disposed, inclined, and intended to vote for me for said office at said election were prevented from so voting by means of threats and intimidations made and used by your friends, supporters, and partisans to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, off from their farms, in case the said voters voted for me for said office at said election, said ten and more voters being, at the time, in the employ or subject to the power and control of your said friends, supporters, and partisans, and which said legally qualified voters of said district were illegally compelled to vote for you for said office at said election against their will, in order to prevent losing their employment, situations, and tenements, which said votes were counted and returned for you for said office contrary to law; that ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district ten and more other persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

13th. That in the election district composed of the township of College, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently,

and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that in the said election district ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

14th. That in the election district composed of the old or eastern district of the township of Ferguson, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

15th. That in the election district composed of the new or west precinct of the township of Ferguson, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were counted and returned for you for said office; that in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that in the said election district of west or new precinct of Ferguson Township, one person, to wit, Samuel Harpster, a qualified elector in said district, after voting for me at said election, and after his ballot was deposited in the ballot-box, the election officers holding said election took out of the box the said ballot so as aforesaid cast for me, and permitted said Samuel Harpster to cast a new ballot, which ballot was counted and returned by said election as one vote for you, which was illegal and contrary to the law; that said vote should have been counted and returned for me.

16th. That in the election district composed of the township of Gregg, in said county of Centre, Anderson Confer and sixty and more other persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you, for said office; that in the election district composed of the said township of Gregg, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

17th. That in the election district composed of the township of Half Moon, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That five and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

18th. That in the election district composed of the township of Haines, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That five and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district of Haines Township, in said county of Centre, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

19th. That in the election district composed of the township of Harris, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons, who were

not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that in said election district composed of the township of Harris, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you, at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years; that the election officers of said district, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, were not legally qualified and legally competent to serve as such election officers, because William McFarlane, the minority inspector of said election board, and who served as such inspector in the conduct of said election, was at the same time holding the office of county auditor for Centre County, and therefore served as such election officer contrary to law; that Henry Keller, who served as one of the clerks upon said election board in the conduct of said election, was at the time holding the office of jury commissioner, a county office in said county of Centre, and therefore was legally incompetent to serve as clerk upon said election board, and served thereon contrary to law; in consequence of which illegal acts, by said illegal officers, said election, in said township, was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of one hundred and eight votes, polled for you for said office of Representative, in said township, should be set aside, and now excluded from the general return of the count of votes cast for you for said office, in said county of Centre, in the general return of votes cast for you for said office, in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

20th. That in the election district composed of the township of Howard, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you, for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned, as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that in the said election district of Howard Township, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

21st. That in the election district composed of the township of Huston, in said county of Centre, there were five and more votes which were polled, counted and returned for you as legal votes, in said township of Huston, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent and void because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted

for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district of Huston Township, in said county of Centre, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

22d. That in the election district composed of the township of Marion, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently and corruptly polled were received, counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said election district five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election, for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted and returned for you for said office. That in said election district of the township of Marion, in said county of Centre, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers of said township, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly closed the polls on said day of election at two different times, between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m. of said day, the hours fixed by law between which said polls should be kept continuously open, closing said polls each time for the space of a half hour or more, contrary to law; that about noon of said election day said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly closed the polls and absented themselves from the place fixed by law for holding said election for the space of a half hour or more, and the judge of said election, who was a supporter of yours and voted for you for said office at said election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly absented himself from the place fixed by law for holding said election for the space of a half hour or more about noon of said day, and took with him the ballot-box or boxes and kept them absent a half mile or more distant from the said place of holding said election with him during said time, contrary to law. That during the time that said polls were so illegally closed on said day of election ten or more persons who were legally qualified voters of said township, and who desired and intended to vote for me for said office, and who came there for that purpose, were illegally deprived from so voting, because of said polls being so illegally closed. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of voters of said township, without demanding and requiring any proof of their right to vote at said election, as required by law, which votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office by said election officers, knowing them to be illegal, fraudulent, and void. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received votes at said election from five or more persons who were unmaturalized aliens, without

requiring any proof or evidence of their having been made citizens of the United States, which said illegal votes were counted and returned for you for said office by said election officers, knowing them to be illegal, in consequence of all which irregular, illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers, the said election held and conducted by said officers was illegal and void, and should be set aside, and the entire return of votes cast for said office in said township should be now excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress in said county of Centre, and in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

23d. That in the election district composed of the township of Miles, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district there were five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

24th. That in the election district composed of the township of Penn, in said county of Centre, ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that in said election district ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

25th. That in the election district composed of the north precinct of the township of Potter, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said north precinct, because they were not citizens of the United and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received,

counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said election district ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more other persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

26th. That in the election district composed of the southern precinct of the township of Potter, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for the said office. That in the election district composed of the said southern precinct ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

27th. That in the election district composed of the township of Rush, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said election district fifteen and more other votes were received, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they received money or other valuable things from partisans or supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in the said election district fifteen and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district ten and more persons voted for

you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

28th. That in the election district composed of Snow Shoe Township, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said district there were ten and more other votes polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of the said township, inasmuch as they had received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district composed of said Snow Shoe Township fifteen and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election, for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

29th. That in the election district composed of the township of Spring, in said county of Centre, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States or of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of the said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election; that

in the election district composed of the said township of Spring five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

30th. That in the election district composed of the township of Taylor, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons who were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district there were twelve and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district seven and more persons voted for you at said election, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

31st. That in the election district composed of the township of Union, in said county of Centre, there were five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

32d. That in the election district composed of the township of Walker, in said county of Centre, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as

so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district there were ten and more other votes polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal, and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transaction they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you at said election, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at the said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

33d. That in the election district composed of the township of Worth, in said county of Centre, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

34th. That a large number, to wit, two hundred and more legally qualified voters in the several election districts in the said county of Centre, who were disposed, inclined, and intended to vote for me for said office of Representative in Congress, were prevented from so voting by means of threats, menaces, and intimidations made and used by certain officials, agents, and employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and by friends, partisans, and supporters of yours, against said voters in the election districts composed of the townships of Taylor, Worth, Huston, Union, Boggs, Howard, and Liberty in said county, employes of said partisans and supporters of yours, to turn them out of employment, out of their houses, and off from their farms in case they voted for me, whereby said legally qualified voters of said county were illegally compelled to vote for you for said office against their will in order to prevent losing their employment, situations, and tenements, which votes so polled for you were illegal and void and should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for you for said office in said county of Centre, and from the general return of votes cast for you for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

35th. That in the county of Clearfield, in said twentieth Congressional district, there were counted and returned for you three thousand and thirty-four votes, yet I aver that there were but two thousand legal votes polled for you in the said county of Clearfield at said general election, holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned,

and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Clearfield.

36th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Clearfield, in said county of Clearfield, James Mullen and ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States or of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office.

37th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Houtzdale, in said county of Clearfield, there were fifty and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and that Patrick Cavanaugh and fifty and more persons who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office.

That forty and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That fifty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you at said election for said office in said borough, which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same voted on false, fraudulent, and forged tax receipts.

38th. That in the election district composed of Lumber City Borough, in said county of Clearfield, Job Curry and ten and more other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal

votes cast for you for said office. That ten or more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

39th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Newburg, in said county of Clearfield, Samuel Coulter and ten and more others who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you. That ten and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten or more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said borough, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and, therefore, they acted and served as such officers at said election contrary to law; that said election officers held and conducted said election without having been duly and legally sworn, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; in consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers, said election was held and conducted in an illegal and fraudulent and corrupt manner, and the entire election return from said borough should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district.

40th. That in the election district composed of the borough of New Washington, in said county of Clearfield, William McHaffey and ten and more other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two years immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned for you as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal

evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said borough, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and therefore they acted and served as such officers at said election contrary to law. That said election officers held and conducted said election without being duly and legally sworn, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oath, or affirmations of office required by law. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received, counted, and returned for you for said office the votes of ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said borough, without demanding or requiring any proof or evidence of the right of said persons to vote at said election in said borough: in consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers said election was held and conducted in an illegal and fraudulent and corrupt manner, and the entire election return from said borough should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district.

41st. That in the election district composed of the borough of Osceola, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That fifteen and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said borough, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district of Osceola Borough five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

42d. That in the election district composed of the borough of Wallace-ton, in said county of Clearfield, J. W. Ross and twenty and more other persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within

two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district of Wallaceton Borough five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That the election officers, to wit, judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said borough, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and therefore they acted and served as such election officers contrary to law; that said election officers were not duly and legally sworn, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and were not legally qualified election officers; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received, counted, and returned for you for said office at said election ten and more votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of voters for said borough, without demanding and requiring any proof or evidence of their right to vote at said election, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void; in consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers said election held and conducted by them in said borough was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes from said borough for said office of Representative in Congress should now be excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

43d. That in the election district composed of Beccaria Township, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last. That in the said election district Lawrence Schrock and sixteen and more other persons who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That twenty or more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, and in gross violation and utter disregard of law, held and conducted said election at another and different place than the one fixed by law; in consequence of all which said election as held and conducted by said election officers was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes from said township, for said office of Representative, should be set aside and now excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

44th. That in the election district composed of the township of Bell, in said county of Clearfield, John Jones and ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district of said Bell Township, in said Clearfield County, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and, therefore, they acted and served as such officers contrary to law; that said election officers did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; that said election officers, at said election in said township, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received, counted, and returned for you for said office ten and more votes which were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not upon the registry-list of voters for said township, and which votes were received by said election officers without demanding and requiring the proof of the right of said persons to vote at said election; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes from said township for said office should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

45th. That in the election district composed of the township of Bloom, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district

ten and more other persons voted for you, and their votes were received and counted and returned at said election, who were not qualified electors, being minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such; that said election officers were not duly and legally sworn and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and, therefore, served as such election officers and held said election contrary to law; that said election officers acted improperly, fraudulently, and corruptly in this, that after the polls were closed on said day of election, and before the votes were counted, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly took said ballot boxes from the room and place where said election was held to another and different place, to wit, to a room quite a distance from where the said election was held, and in said room, which at the time was filled with unauthorized persons, counted the votes that were polled at said election; and said election officers illegally, and corruptly permitted said unauthorized persons, illegally and fraudulently, to assist in counting and handling the said votes polled at said election, by means whereof other ballots that were not cast for you were put into the ballot-box and returned as legal votes for you. In consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt action of said election officers, the election held and conducted by said election officers was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes polled at said election for said office of Representative should be set aside, and should now be excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

46th. That in the election district composed of the township of Boggs, in said county of Clearfield, there were twelve and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such, and were not duly and legally sworn as such officers to hold said election, and said election officers did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and therefore served as such officers and held and conducted said election in said township contrary to law, in consequence of which the said election held and conducted by said election officers on the fifth day of November last was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes polled in said township at said election for the said office of Representative in Congress should be set aside and be now excluded from the entire return of votes cast for you for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

47th. That in the election district composed of the township of Brady, in said county of Clearfield, there were one hundred and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, but were aliens and unnaturalized, and one hundred and more other persons who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said township of Brady, in said county of Clearfield, there were forty and more votes polled, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions, they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district of the township of Brady, in said county of Clearfield, fifty and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district of the township of Brady, in said county of Clearfield, twenty-five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township on the fifth day of November last, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such election officers; that said election officers were not duly and legally sworn before entering upon their duties as such upon said day of election, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; that said election officers further acted irregularly, illegally, and fraudulently in this, that they failed to make and return the list of voters who voted at said election required by law; that said officers received, counted, and returned for you twenty and more votes from persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of voters for said township, without demanding and requiring any proof of their right to vote at said election; that said officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly kept said election polls open for a long period of time, to wit, for on half hour, after seven o'clock p. m. of said day, the time fixed by law for closing the polls, and illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received during said time that they kept the said polls open after seven o'clock p. m., of said day, twenty and more votes, and deposited them in the ballot-boxes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and which said votes were counted and returned for you for said office; that said election officers, after the polls were closed and before the votes were counted, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly permitted unauthorized persons who were not con-

nected with said election board to be present in the room while said votes were being counted by said officers, and illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly permitted said unauthorized persons to assist in handling and counting the said ballots, contrary to law; that after said ballots were counted, said officers illegally and fraudulently neglected to seal the ballot-box securely, inclosing the ballots and papers therein required by law, but left it unsealed and did not deliver it into the custody of the nearest justice or magistrate, as required by law, but illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly placed it unsealed in the custody of one William Schwan, jr., a hotel-keeper, and his hostler, Conrad Long, in whose custody it remained for several days; in consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt action and irregularities of said election officers, it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many if any legal votes were polled for said office of Representative in Congress, and the said election held and conducted by said election officers was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress, in said township, should be set aside and disregarded, and be now excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress, in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

48th. That in the election district composed of the township of Burnside, in said county of Clearfield, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months before the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Burnside, in said county of Clearfield, twenty and more votes were polled, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office, which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

49th. That in the election district composed of the township of Chest, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last. That in said election district of Chest Township, in said county, there were ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as re-

quired by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district of Chest Township, in said county of Clearfield, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That in the said election district of Chest Township, in said county of Clearfield, there were fifteen and more votes polled, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and therefore they acted and served as such officers at said election contrary to law. That said election officers held and conducted said election without being duly and legally sworn, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received, counted, and returned for you for said office the votes of ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township, without demanding or requiring any proof or evidence of the right of said persons to vote at said election in said township, in consequence of all which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers said election was held and conducted in an illegal and fraudulent and corrupt manner, and the entire election return from said township should be excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district.

50th. That in the election district composed of the township of Decatur, in said county of Clearfield, there were twenty and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, but were aliens and unnaturalized, and who had not been residents of said township two months before the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election district for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Decatur, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

51st. That in the election district composed of the township of Ferguson, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons who

were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election for said office. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not on the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Ferguson, five and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

52d. That in the election district composed of the township of Graham, in said county of Clearfield, there were five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That eight and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Graham, in said Clearfield County, ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

53d. That in the election district composed of the township of Greenwood, in said county of Clearfield, Thomas Smith and Robert Biddle and ten and more other persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the said office of Representative in Congress, which votes, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That five and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering

any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district of the township of Greenwood six and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, acted improperly, irregularly, illegally, and fraudulently in this, that they failed to number the ballots as they were received and deposited in the ballot boxes at said election, as required by law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, on the day of said election, during the hours, to wit, between the hours of seven o'clock a. m. and seven o'clock p. m. of said day, required by law that said polls should be continuously open, closed the said polls at two different times for the space of half an hour and more each time, and carried the ballot-boxes in which the ballots voted at said election were deposited, away from the legal place of holding said election quite a distance, to wit, about a half a mile from the place fixed by law for holding said election, by means of which illegal and fraudulent action on the part of said officers, ten and more legally qualified voters of said township who were inclined, disposed, and intended to vote for me, were deprived of the privilege of voting for me at said election, because of said polls being so illegally closed. That said election officers failed and neglected to seal up the ballot box and deposit it with the nearest justice, as required by law, but left it in the room where the said election was held unsealed, open, and unguarded for the space of one or more days, in consequence of all which illegal, irregular, fraudulent, and corrupt actions of said election officers said election held and conducted by them was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes polled at said election, in said township, for said office, should be set aside and be now excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

54th. That in the election district composed of the township of Guelich, in said county of Clearfield, there were five or more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the said election district of Guelich, in said county of Clearfield, six and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

55th. That in the election district composed of the township of Huston, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State

or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district of the township of Huston, in said county of Clearfield, there were ten and more other persons who voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

56th. That in the election district of the township of Jordan, in said county of Clearfield, Robert Patterson and ten and more other persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many votes cast for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Jordan, in said county of Clearfield, ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district of Jordan Township, in said county of Clearfield, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

57th. That in the election district composed of the township of Knox, in said county of Clearfield, there were eight and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes for you. That twelve and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

58th. That in the township of Morris, in the county of Clearfield, twenty-five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, but were aliens and unnaturalized, and who had not

been residents of said township of Morris for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, corruptly, and fraudulently polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the election district of Morris Township, in said county of Clearfield, ten and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said township of Morris, in said county of Clearfield, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That the election officers to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township on the fifth day of November last were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and were not duly and legally sworn as such officers before entering upon their duties on said day of election, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly refused and neglected to open the polls on said day of election for the space of two hours and more after the hours fixed by law, to wit, seven o'clock a. m., for opening the same, by reason of which ten and more legally qualified voters of said township, who intended to vote for me for said office and who came to said polls for that purpose, were prevented from so voting; that John E. Hockenberry, one of the inspectors who served on said election board at said election, was at the time a candidate for county auditor and was voted for for said office of county auditor at said election, and, therefore, served on said election board contrary to law. That said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly refused and neglected to seal up the ballot-boxes after said election and secure the ballots and other papers therein required by law, and deposit the same with a magistrate as required by law, but illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly left said ballot-box unsealed and unsecured in the hands of one Peter Moyer, a partisan and supporter of yours, and a person not authorized by law to receive the same, in whose custody said ballot-box remained for a period of thirty days or more in violation of law; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly acted in disregard of the various laws regulating the conduct of election officers, in consequence of all which said election, as held and conducted by said officers, was illegal and void, and the entire return of votes cast for said office of Representative in said township should be set aside and be now excluded from the general

return of votes cast in said county, and in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

59th. That in the election district composed of the township of Penn, in said county of Clearfield, there were fourteen and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That eleven and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

60th. That in the election district composed of the township of Pike, in said county of Clearfield, twenty and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township of Pike, because they were aliens and unnaturalized, and who had not been residents of said township for two months before the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office; that in the said township of Pike, in said county of Clearfield, twelve and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district consisting of the township of Pike, in said county of Clearfield, seven and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election in said township, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers, and therefore served contrary to law; said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law; that said officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, during the said

day of election, absented themselves from the polls and closed the said polls during the said day between the hours of seven o'clock a. m. and seven o'clock p. m., the time required by law that said polls should be kept continuously open, and ten or more qualified voters of said township who desired and intended to vote for me for said office, and who came to said polls for that purpose, were illegally deprived of so voting because of said polls being so illegally closed; that said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly, during the time they were holding and conducting said election, left the room where said election was being held, and went out among the voters, who were in and about said election polls, and offered to bet upon and did bet upon the result of your election in said township, and the result of your election in said county, and said officers further illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly solicited, urged, and exhorted your friends, partisans, and supporters to bet upon the result of your election in said township, and alleged and declared to them that the result of the vote in said township would be all right and favorable to you, and if it were not, they would make it so, said election officers being partisans and supporters of yours; that said officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly failed and neglected to seal up the ballot-box and inclose therein the ballots and other papers and place the said ballot-box in the custody of a magistrate, as required by law. That said election officers acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly in receiving the votes of twenty and more persons at said election whose names were not upon the registry-list of votes for said township, without demanding or requiring any proof of their right to vote at said election, knowing that said votes were illegal and void, and which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office, in consequence of all which irregular, illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions on the part of said election officers said election was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and that the entire return of votes cast for said office in said township should be set aside and be now excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

61st. That in the election district composed of the township of Woodward, in said county of Clearfield, there were fifteen and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal vote cast for you for said office. That ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes in said township, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in the election district of Woodward Township, of said county of Clearfield, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes received,

counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That twelve and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

62d. That in the county of Clinton there were counted and returned for you two thousand five hundred and sixty-five votes, yet I aver that there were but two thousand legal votes polled for you in said county of Clinton at the said general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in the said county of Clinton.

63d. That in the election district composed of the township of Allison, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district there were ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of said township of Allison, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

64th. That in the election district composed of the township of Beech Creek, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the said office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district, there were ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election who were not qualified electors because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years. That the place fixed by law for holding the

said election for said township of Beech Creek, in said county of Clinton, was the house of Andrew White, in the borough of Beech Creek, in said county of Clinton, and that the place was so designated in the proclamation of the sheriff of Clinton County, fixing the time and place of holding said election; that in violation of law the said officers of said election, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, without any just cause or reason, refused to hold said election at said place, but, upon the contrary, pretended and did hold the same at a certain other place, to wit, Quay's school-house, remote and distant from the legal place of holding the same, by reason whereof many qualified electors of said township were deprived from voting, and who would have voted for me had the election been lawfully held at the proper place; that by reason of said unlawful act of said election officers the said election, so as aforesaid held, was null and void, and the entire vote thereof, as returned by said election officers, for Representative in Congress, should be stricken from the count of said county.

65th. That in the election district composed of the township of Chapman, in said county of Clinton, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district, ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

66. That in the election district composed of the township of Colebrook, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township of Colebrook for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

67th. That in the election district composed of the township of Crawford, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

68th. That in the election district composed of the township of Castanea, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That in said election district ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office.

69th. That in the election district composed of the township of Dunstable, in said county of Clinton, fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

70th. That in the election district composed of the township of Gallauher, in said county of Clinton, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more

than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

71st. That in the election district composed of the township of Grugan, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district eight and more persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Grugan, in said county, eight and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one (21) years.

72d. That in the election district composed of the township of Greene, in said county of Clinton, fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not, within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes, so illegally and fraudulently polled, were received and counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were counted and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

73d. That in the election district composed of the township of East

Keating, in said county of Clinton, five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of East Keating, five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

74th. That in the election district composed of the township of West Keating, in said county of Clinton, there were ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently and corruptly polled, were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified voters, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

75th. That in the election district composed of the township of Lamar, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently and corruptly polled, were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district voted for you at said election without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

76th. That in the election district composed of the township of Leidy

in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month, paid either a State or county tax, which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

77th. That in the election district composed of the township of Logan, in said county of Clinton, there were twenty and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

78th. That in the election district composed of the first ward of the city of Lock Haven, in the said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said ward, voted for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

79th. That in the election district composed of the borough of

Logansville, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they had not been residents of said borough two months before the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons in said election district, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

80th. That in the election district composed of the second ward of the city of Lock Haven, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said ward, voted for you at said election without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district, ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty one years.

81st. That in the election district composed of the third ward of the city of Lock Haven, in said county, fifteen and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office at said election. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who did not make any proof or offer any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said ward ten and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were

not duly qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

82d. That in the election district composed of the fourth ward of the city of Lock Haven, in said county of Clinton, ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said ward, because they had not been residents of said ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said ward, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

83d. That in the election district composed of the borough of Mill Hall, in said county of Clinton, twenty and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were returned and counted as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That fifteen and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

84th. That in the election district composed of the township of Noyes, in the said county of Clinton, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district, ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said township voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district as required

by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That ten and more other persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

85th. That in the election district composed of the township of Pine Creek, in said county of Clinton, fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That five and more other persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not legally qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

86th. That in the election district composed of the township of Porter, in said county of Clinton, eight and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before said fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes, so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district eight and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district eight and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

87th. That in the election district composed of the borough of Renova, in said county of Clinton, there were one hundred and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, and who were not residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you. That fifty other votes

were polled, counted, and returned for you at said election in said borough for said office that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt negotiations they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That one hundred and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry list of voters of said borough illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote at said election, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That fifty and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you for said office at said election which were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That twenty other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you for said office at said election that were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were aliens and unnaturalized. That the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks who held and conducted said election, were not duly and legally elected, chosen, or appointed to serve as such officers. That said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such before entering upon their duties on said day of election, and did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths and affirmations of office as required by law. That said officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received votes and deposited them in the ballot-boxes at said election from one hundred and more persons whose names were not upon the registry list of voters for said borough, without demanding or requiring any proof or legal evidence of their right to vote in said borough. That said officers did not keep the registry list of voters in the room where said election was held, and check therefrom the names of voters as they voted, as required by law. That they did not make and return a list of voters who voted at said election in said borough, as required by law. That they illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly neglected and refused, after the said polls were closed and the vote counted, to seal up and deposit the ballot-boxes with a magistrate, as required by law. That said officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly absented themselves from the polls and closed the same during the hours they were required by law to be kept open, and illegally and corruptly permitted unauthorized persons to be present in the room where said election was held during the time said election was holding and after the polls were closed, and permitted said unauthorized persons illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly to handle and assist in counting off said ballots. That said election officers further acted illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly in this, that they kept and drank intoxicating liquors of various kinds in and about the room where said election was held and conducted on said day of election, contrary to law, and said election officers became grossly intoxicated while holding and conducting said election, so much so that they became wholly unfit and incompetent to hold and conduct said election, in consequence of all which several illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt actions upon the part of said election officers the said election held and conducted by them was illegal and void, and should be set aside and disregarded, and the entire return of votes cast at said election in said borough for said office of Representative should be now

excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office in said county and in the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

88th. That in the election district composed of the township of Wayne, in said county of Clinton, thirty and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

89th. That in the election district composed of the township of Woodward, in said county of Clinton, fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That ten and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That fifteen and more persons voted for you and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

90th. That in the election district composed of the township of Allison, in said county of Clinton, there were twenty and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of Bald Eagle, in said county, there were twenty and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of Castanea, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of Dunstable, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of Gallanher, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of Grugan, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of East Keating, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the township of West Keating, in said county, there were ten and more votes. That in the election district composed of the first, second, third, and fourth wards, in the city of Lock Haven, in said county, there were fifty and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you in said several election districts, in said

county, for said office, which said votes were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said several election districts in said county, because they were aliens and unnaturalized.

91st. That in the county of Elk there was counted and returned for you one thousand and ten votes, yet I aver that there were but seven hundred legal votes polled for you in said county of Elk, at the general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Elk.

92d. That in the election district composed of the township of Benzette, in said county of Elk, five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township of Benzette, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more votes were polled, received, counted, and returned for you as legal votes, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money and other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district forty and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty one years.

93d. That in the election district composed of the township of Benzinger, in said county of Elk, ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the 5th day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the 5th day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election; that in said election district of Benzinger Township forty-one and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering

any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in said election district five and more other persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that in said election district of Benzinger Township the election officers who held and conducted the said election, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, did not severally take and subscribe to and return the oaths or affirmations required by law; that the said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received and put into the ballot-boxes a greater number of votes than there were names upon the list of voters; that the said election officers illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received and deposited two hundred and more ballots for you in the ballot-boxes before the election board was duly and legally organized or sworn; that said election officers, during the hours which by law the election polls should be kept open, improperly and illegally absented themselves from the place where the election was held, and left the ballot-boxes unguarded at various times during the said day by any authorized persons, so that a large number of persons, to wit, fifty and more, had access to the said ballot-boxes, who corrupted and falsified the same; that the said election officers were not otherwise legally qualified and competent to serve as such election officers, because Philip Young, who acted as judge in the conduct of said election, was at the same time holding the office of jury commissioner, duly elected and qualified, in said county of Elk, and said Philip Young, therefore, served as such election officer contrary to law. By reason of all which said several illegal, irregular, fraudulent, and corrupt acts, omissions, and practices, it is now impossible to ascertain and determine how many legal votes were polled for you at said election in said township of Benzinger for the office of Representative in Congress; in consequence of which the return from the said township of Benzinger for you should be rejected and excluded from the general count of votes polled for you for the office of Representative in Congress in said county of Elk, and should be deducted from the general return of votes cast for said office in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

94th. That in the election district composed of the township of Fox, in said county of Elk, five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for said office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more votes were polled for you for the office of Representative in Congress, and were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money and other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and

transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district a portion of which said money, to wit, the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75), and other valuable things, were deposited by you with a Dr. Shaessly, of said township, for such illegal and corrupt purposes. That in said election district five or more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you, for the said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

95th. That in the election district composed of the township of Highland, five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district five or more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five or more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

96th. That in the election district composed of the township of Horton, in said county of Elk, there were five or more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office at said election. That in said election district five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

97th. That in the election district composed of the township of Jay, in said county of Elk, five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election. That in said election district five and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you at said election as so many legal votes cast for you for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said township, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours in consideration of voting for you; or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter; in consequence of which several illegal, fraudulent, and corrupt negotiations, bargains and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district five and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty one years.

98th. That in the election district composed of the township of Jones, in said county of Elk, five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district sixteen (16) and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

99th. That in the election district composed of the township of Millstone, in said county of Elk, five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said district five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years. That in said election district the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election, did not take subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of officers, required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township was illegal, fraudulent and void, and the entire return of votes from said township of Millstone, in said county of Elk, for said office should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

100th. That in the election district composed of the township of Ridgeway, in said county of Elk, ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

101st. That in the election district composed of the township of Spring Creek, in said county of Elk, five and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Spring Creek, in said county of Elk, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

102d. That in the election district composed of the borough of Saint Mary's there were ten and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they had not been residents of said borough, for two months immediately preceding the fifth day

of November last, and who had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before the said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes for you for said office. That in said election district John Walker, and fifteen other persons whose names are to me as yet unknown, voted for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable thing from partisans and supporters of yours, a portion of which, to wit, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) and more, was given and deposited by you with John Walker of said borough for such illegal and corrupt purposes; in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district twenty-six and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

103d. That in the election district composed of the township of Benetzette, in said county of Elk, there were ten and more other votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Benzinger, in said county, there were twenty and more other votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Fox, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Highland, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Horton, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Jay, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Jones, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Millstone, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Ridgeway, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the township of Spring Creek, in said county, there were ten and more votes; that in the election district composed of the borough of Saint Mary's, in said county, there were ten and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you for said office at said election in said several election districts that were illegal and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said several election districts, because they were aliens and unmaturalized.

104th. 1. That in county of Mifflin there were returned and counted for you 1,782 votes, yet I aver that there were but 1,400 legal votes polled for you in the said county of Mifflin, at the said general election, holden on the fifth day of November last, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal,

fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in the said county of Mifflin.

105th. 2. That in the election district composed of the east ward of the borough of Lewistown, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the east ward of the borough of Lewistown, in said county of Mifflin, there were five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty one years. That in the said election district composed of the east ward of the borough of Lewistown, in said county of Mifflin, the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the said election, did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said ward was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes from said east ward of Lewistown Borough, in said county of Mifflin, for said office, should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

106th. 3. That in the election district composed of the west ward of the borough of Lewistown, in the said county of Mifflin, there were five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

107th. 4. That in the election district composed of the borough of McVeytown, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in the election district composed of the borough of McVeytown, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

108th. 5. That in the election district composed of the new precinct of the township of Armaugh, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in the said election district composed of the new precinct of the township of Armaugh, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their

votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

109th. 6. That in the election district composed of the old precinct of the township of Armaugh, in the said county of Mifflin, ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof, or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in the election district composed of the old precinct of the township of Armaugh, in said county of Mifflin, seven and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

110th. 7. That in the election district composed of the township of Bratten, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office; that in the said election district composed of the township of Bratten, in said county of Mifflin, seven and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years; that in the said election district composed of the township of Bratten, in said county of Mifflin, the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks who held and conducted the said election, did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township, was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes from said township of Bratten, in said county of Mifflin, for said office, should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

111th. 8. That in the election district composed of the township of Brown, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Brown, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

112th. 9. That in the election district composed of the township of Derry, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal proof of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Derry, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted

for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

113th. 10. That in the election district composed of the township of Decatur, in said county of Mifflin, there were five and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Decatur, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

114th. 11. That in the election district composed of the township of Granville, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Granville, in said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That in the said election district composed of the township of Granville, in said county of Mifflin, the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election, did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths and affirmations of office required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes from said township of Granville, in said county of Mifflin, for said office, should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

115th. 12. That in the election district composed of the township of Minna, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office, without making any proof or offering any evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Minna, in said county of Mifflin, there were five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years.

116th. 13. That in the election district composed of the township of Newton Hamilton, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for the said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Newton Hamilton there were five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received,

counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

117th. 14. That in the election district composed of the township of Oliver, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not, within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in the election district composed of the township of Oliver, in said county of Mifflin, there were ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district composed of the township of Oliver, in the said county of Mifflin, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty-one years. That in the said election district composed of the township of Oliver, in said county of Mifflin, the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted said election, did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations of office required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such: in consequence of all which, the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes from said township of Oliver, in said county of Mifflin, for said office should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress from the twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

118th. 15. That in the election district composed of the township of Union, in said county of Mifflin, there were five or more persons, who were not legally qualified voters of said township because they had not been residents of said township for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office: that ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in the said election district composed of the township of Union, in said county of Mifflin, there were five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years.

119th. 16. That in the election district composed of the township of Wayne, in said county of Mifflin, there were fifteen and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years, and more than one month before the fifth day of November last, paid either a State or county tax which had been assessed

two months before said day of election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled, were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Wayne, in said county of Mifflin, ten and more persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of Wayne, in said county of Mifflin, ten and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years. That in said election district composed of the township of Wayne, in said county of Mifflin, the election officers, to wit, the judge, inspectors, and clerks, who held and conducted the said election did not take, subscribe, and return the oaths or affirmations required by law, and said officers were not duly and legally sworn as such; in consequence of all which the said election held and conducted by said election officers in said township was illegal, fraudulent, and void, and the entire return of votes from said township of Wayne, in said county of Mifflin, for said office should be set aside and excluded from the general return of votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress, from the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

120th. That in the county of Union there was counted and returned for you one thousand four hundred and fifty-five votes, yet I aver that there were but one thousand legal votes polled for you in the said county of Union at the general election holden on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, and that all votes received, counted, and returned for you in excess thereof were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should not have been counted and returned, and should now be excluded from the return of votes cast for you in said county of Union.

121st. That in the election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said borough, because they were not citizens of the United States and of this commonwealth, but were aliens and unmaturalized, and who had not been residents of said borough for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were five and more votes polled, counted, and returned for you at said election for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said borough, inasmuch as they had illegally and corruptly received money or other valuable things, from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election. That in said election district composed

of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in the said county of Union, there were ten and more other persons, whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office. That in said election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, five and more persons voted for you, whose votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors, under the age of twenty-one years. That in the election district composed of the north ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, ten and more other votes were polled, counted, and returned for you at said election for said office in said north ward of said borough, which votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same voted on false, fraudulent, and forged tax-receipts.

122d. That in the election district composed of the west ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said west ward, because they had not been residents of said west ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for said office. That in the said election district composed of the west ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, five and more votes were polled, counted, and returned for you as legal votes for said office of Representative in Congress, which said votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, because the persons who severally polled the same were not legally qualified voters of said west ward, inasmuch as they had illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly received money or other valuable things from partisans and supporters of yours, in consideration of voting for you, or they voted for you in consideration and upon the promise that they should receive money or other valuable things thereafter, in consequence of which several illegal and corrupt negotiations, bargains, and transactions they forfeited their right to vote at said election.

123d. That in the election district composed of the south ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in the said county of Union, five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said south ward, because they had not been residents of said south ward for two months immediately preceding the fifth day of November last, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were counted and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election for said office. That in said south ward of the borough of Lewisburg, in said county of Union, there were ten and more other persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said south ward, voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

124th. That the election district composed of the township of White Deer, in said county of Union, five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for

you for said office. That in said election district composed of the township of White Deer, in said county of Union, five and more persons voted for you, and their votes were received, counted, and returned for you at said election, who were not qualified electors, because they were minors under the age of twenty one years.

125th. That in the election district composed of the township of Buffalo, in said county of Union, five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

126th. That in the election district composed of the township of West Buffalo, in said county of Union, there were five and more persons who were not legally qualified voters of said township, because they had not within two years and more than one month before the fifth day of November last paid either State or county tax which had been assessed two months before said day election, illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly voted for you for the office of Representative in Congress, which said votes so illegally, fraudulently, and corruptly polled were received, counted, and returned as so many legal votes cast for you at said election. That in said township of West Buffalo, in said county of Union, five and more persons whose names were not upon the registry-list of said election district voted for you at said election for said office without making any proof or offering any legal evidence of their right to vote in said election district, as required by law, which said illegal votes were received, counted, and returned for you for said office.

127th. That in the election district composed of the west ward of the borough of Mifflinburg, in said county of Union, at said election, there were counted and returned for you for said office seventy-seven votes in said election district, yet, in truth and in fact, there were but seventy (70) legal votes polled at said election for you for said office in said district. That the judges of the court who canvassed, counted and returned the votes polled at said election, in counting the returns from said election district of the west ward of the borough of Mifflinburg, committed an error in counting the return as seventy-seven (77) votes for you, when in verity it should have been counted and returned as but seventy (70) votes for you, and the said seven (7) votes credited to you in the general return of votes cast for you for said office, in said county, should be deducted from the general return of votes cast for you for said office in said county. And I further aver that although there were counted and returned for me for said office, in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Mifflin, and Union, thirteen thousand four hundred and fifty-four legal votes, which I duly and legally received, yet that there were actually polled for me for said office in said Congressional district fourteen thousand legal votes, which said fourteen thousand legal votes should have been counted and returned for me for said office, instead of but thirteen thousand four hundred and fifty four votes. That although there were thirteen thousand three hundred and eighty-one votes counted and returned for you for said office, in said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania, yet I aver that you received but nine thousand six hundred and thirty-five legal votes for said office in said district, and all votes counted and returned for you in excess of said nine thousand six hundred and thirty-five votes were illegal, fraudulent, and void, and should be excluded from the general return of

votes cast for you for said office in said district. And I further aver that I received a majority of all the legal votes cast for said office of Representative in Congress, for said twentieth Congressional district, at the general election holden on the fifth day of November last, and that I am therefore duly elected to said office of Representative in Congress, and legally and justly entitled to the seat of such Representative in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States, for the said twentieth Congressional district of Pennsylvania.

S. H. YOCUM.

BELLEfonte, PA.,

January 8, 1879.

And now, January 8, 1879, I accept service of the within by duplicate original, for A. G. Curtin, by authority of his letter of December 30, 1878, hereto attached.

WM. H. BLAIR.

BELLEfonte, *December 30, 1878.*

DEAR SIR: It is possible I may not return home before the 10th January, and in that event you are authorized to accept service for me of the reply of Mr. Yocum to my notice that his election would be contested.

Yours, truly,

A. G. CURTIN.

W. H. BLAIR, *Attorney.*

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